WEATHER FORECAST

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—Fair and warmer tonight; light variable winds.
Northern California: Fair tonight and Saturday; continued light variable winds.

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DEATH REAPS A RICH HARVEST.

Thirteen Persons Perished in a New York Fire and Others May Die.

NEW YORK, April 7.—A disastrous fire visited the wealthiest section of this city during the early morning hours of today and caused the death of thirteen persons.

Nine or ten persons were injured, and one of them will die. A mother and her three little children perished. The list of dead is almost equally divided between people of unusual wealth and servants.

The fire spread so rapidly that it gave no chance of escape. The amount of damage to property is estimated at about $220,000.

The fire originated at the corner of Sixty-seventh street and Fifth avenue in the house occupied by Wallace C. Andrews, President of the New York Steam Heating Company. There was in the house fourteen persons fast asleep.

How the fire originated is still a mystery, though it seems to be reasonably certain that an explosion of some kind occurred, but whatever was the cause, the flames spread with such rapidity that only two escaped from the building. One of these is so badly injured that she has no chance of surviving.

The fire communicated to Sixty-ninth street, and in the house of Albert J. Adams, a servant was burned to death, thus bringing the total deaths to thirteen.

So thoroughly did the flames do their work that when the gutted Andrews house was searched the corpses were so charred as to be almost beyond positive identification. The names of the dead were ascertained more by the certain knowledge of those who were in the house over night than by the traces of the living image that they retained.

The fires were in the home of Wallace C. Andrews, at No. 2 East Sixty-seventh street, and in the home of Albert J. Adams, at No. 3 East Sixty-ninth street. The fire started in Andrews' house and the Adams residence caught later in the morning.

The first fire was discovered about 2 a. m. A policeman was passing, when he heard an explosion and saw a great flash of light in Sixty-seventh street. He ran hither and thither, and when he arrived the flames were shooting out of the upper floors of the Andrews house. They leaped half way across the street.

The policeman tried to arouse the occupants. He was driven back by the flames. He then turned in an alarm, and, returning, got the people out of V. H. Rothschild's house. Close by, around the corner of Sixty-seventh street and Fifth avenue, are the homes of some o fthe wealthy men of New York. Next to the Adams house, which was a handsome four-story brownstone, is the splendid home of H. O. Armour of the Chicago firm of meat packers. Next to that is the home of Perry Belmont. Directly opposite this is the house of George Gould.

With the arrival of the first engine the value of the property threatened was apparent, and a second, and later a third, alarm were turned in.

While some of the firemen fought the flames with hose and chemicals, others rushed into the Rothschild house, and from there into the Andrews home by way of the rear windows. But they were even then too late, for in the middle room of the third floor the firemen stumbled over the bodies of Mrs. St. John and Wallace, her 3-year-old child. The child was dead, but Mrs. St. John was still just alive and gasping for breath. A fireman picked her up and staggered with her to the Rothschild house, but she died as she was being carried in.

Mrs. St. John and her three children were all on the third floor. Mr. St. John, who is the treasurer of the New York Steam Heating Company and a brother of Mrs. Andrews, was not at home. Mr. Andrews and his wife occupied the middle room of the second floor.

The servants of the Andrews' were on the fourth or top floor. Ada White, the cook, leaped from the window to an extension which rose to the third floor. She was found there unconscious by a fireman.

Jennie Burns, another servant, jumped from the same window to the extension. She crushed in her skull and is in a critical condition.

Nellie Roland, the kitchen maid, and Mary Flanagan, parlor maid, Annie Neary and Eva Petersen, another servant, were found dead on the fourth floor.

After the firemen had rescued Alice White and Jeanie Burns from the roof of the Adams house, just before the flames reached that locality, another desperate effort was made to get into the Andrews home, but the conflagration had made extraordinary headway and it was impossible to force any entrance.

A strong wind, blowing from the south, swept the flames forth. On the north side of Sixty-ninth street was the handsome home of Albert J. Adams, a sporting man, better known as "Al" Adams. His family had been aroused by the tumult. A servant opened the front window. A gust of wind swept the fire in through the open window. The Adams house began to blaze fiercely, and the inmates were panic stricken by the sudden outburst of flames. Nellie Quinn and Mamie Vogel, servants tried to rush down the stairway, but were cut off. The two appeared at a front window. Thence they jumped to the roof of a bay window, a story below, where they crouched in terror. The crowd below shouted that help would come soon. The flames got hotter and nearer to the women.

A policeman and several citizens ran into an adjoining house and up to the third floor of the building, on a level with the women. While the citizens held the policeman, he leaned far out of the window and lifting the women one at a time, swung them up into the room. They were carried down to the street. The spectators cheered wildly.

In an hour the fire in the Adams house was out. The firemen found the body of Mary Loughlin at the bottom of the stairs leading to the roof. She had been smothered by the smoke and was not much burned. Clasped tightly in her arms was the body of a little pet pug dog.

Almost until dawn the firemen fought the fire in the Andrews house. Several firemen were on the roof when it gave signs of giving way. They had scarcely time to heed the warning when the center of the roof went down. By 6 o'clock the fire was sufficiently under control to permit of a search of the ruins. Then it was that the bodies of the two St. John children were found. They were carried down and placed by the side of their mother and little brother. Soon afterwards L. C. Bruce, who is married to a niece of Mr. Andrews, arrived. He identified the bodies.

M. Berden, a brother-in-law of Mrs. St. John, said that the entire family had planned a trip to Hot Springs, Ark., and were to have started tonight.

The damage of Mr. Rothschild's home and furniture is said to be mostly from water. The damage to the Adams house is estimated at $10,000. The fire in the Andrews house is said to have started from an explosion, possibly originating with a leakage of gas. The injured Nellie Quinn and Alice White are in a critical condition.

11:52 A. M.—Shortly before noon another body was found in the Adams house. It was positively identified as that of Mr. Andrews by C. C. Kruce, a relative.

Following is a list of the dead, missing and injured:

Dead:

WALLACE C. ANDREWS, president of the New York Steam Heating Company.

MRS. WALLACE C. ANDREWS.

MRS. GAMIEL C. ST. JOHN, sister-in-law to Mrs. Andrews and wife of G. C. St. John, treasurer of the Steam Heating Company.

ORSER ST. JOHN, 7 years old.

WALLACE ST. JOHN, 3 years old.

FREDERICK ST. JOHN, 13 months old. (The three foregoing were the children of Mrs. St. John.)

EVA PETERSEN, servant.

NELLIE ROLAND, servant.

MARY FLANAGAN, servant.

ANNIE NEARY, servant.

(All these deaths occurred in the house of Mr. Andrews.)

MARY LOUGHLIN, servant, in the house of Alber J. Adams.

KATE DOWNING, servant in the Andrews household.

MARIE ROSS, servant in the Andrews household.

Injured:

JENNIE BURNS, a servant in the Andrews house, not expected to live.

ALICE WHITE, cook in the Andrews house, condition serious.

NELLIE QUINN, servant in the Adams house, condition serious.

JERRY BLAZINA, fireman.

Others were slightly injured.

SKETCH OF W. C. ANDREWS.

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, April 7.—Wallace C. Andrews was a brother of the late Chauncey S. Andrews of this city, and the brothers were largely instrumental in developing the iron and coal industries of the Mahoning valley. Mr. Andrews was born at Paynes Corners, near this city, June 17, 1833.

He was a resident of this city until 1875, when he went to New York. He had no children. His wife was a sister of G. C. St. John, who was his private secretary. Of late years he confined his attentions to the New York Steam Heating Company.

He was an uncle of Mrs. Edith Andrews Logan, wife of Major General John A. Logan of this city, and Mrs. Julia Brice, wife of Leslie C. Brice of the Turf, Field and Farm publication of New York.

BRIEF CABINET MEETING.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The Cabinet was in session only an hour today. The method of making the payment of $20,000,000 to Spain was talked over and although no conclusion was reached, it is expected that the transfer will be made by a draft to the treasury, to be delivered to any representative whom the Spanish government may designate.

The situation in the Philippines was discussed and a telegram was read to the effect that Aguinaldo was reorganizing his army north of his late capital. The confidence of the government, however, in the ability of General Otis' forces to successfully meet the situation is not in the least disturbed.

Stock Brokers' Failure.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The failure of the firm of Dimock & Co., stock brokers, on the Exchange, was announced today. One of the firm said that the failure was not due to the present market, but to old complications, on account of which it was thought best to close. The firm was founded in 1895 and was composed of J. A. Dimock and R. W. E. Swinton.

It is announced that the liabilities are under $100,000, and the assets about enough to meet them. The firm expects to resume in a few days.

FATAL EXPLOSION AT POINT RICHMOND.

Twenty-Five Kegs of Black Powder Blow Up.

One Man Is Killed; Two Others May Die.

SAN PABLO, April 7.—Another accident attended the progress of the work on the extension of the Valley road, now a part of the Santa Fe system, at Point Richmond this morning, and as a consequence three men were seriously injured and two of them will die.

The third was burned and bruised by the flame and the raining of debris about him, but will probably survive.

The injured were Daniel Quill, the foreman of the powder or blasting gang engaged in the work, and two laborers, who were at work under his immediate supervision.

Shortly after noon today Quill, who, with his family, has been residing at the hotel at this place, was brought here, suffering excruciating pain, although he was bearing up under the infliction with a great deal of will power.

The other victims were left at the Point, where it was thought they could be attended to just as well as at any other place.

One of them was practically burned alive. The other was discolored and injured so as to be almost unrecognizable.

As soon as the news of the accident reached this place Dr. Stockwell immediately repaired to the scene with a view to affording all the surgical attendance possible to the sufferers, but found on his arrival at the place that he could do nothing for two of the poor fellows save render them insensible to pain by the administration of anathestetics.

The accident occurred at an early hour, shortly prior to the time at which the blasting gang was to have gone to work for the day.

Quill and the two men injured went to the magazine to get out some powder with which the blasting for the day was to be done.

The magazine consisted of a rough shed situated at quite a distance from the active operations of the men.

There were in the magazine twenty-five cars of powder, each of which contained twenty-five pounds.

Whatever the cause, the twenty-five cans exploded in an instant, the report echoing and re-echoing along the shores of the bay and among the hills and tunnels on which and in which men are working in the building of the road.

The scene of the accident is the almost semi-circular point which projects from the main line, and which suggested the name given to the locality. On the north side of the point is a cove, and across the chord of the cove a trestle has been built. On either side of this trestle, which is only temporary, will be a curve of the ferry slip. The slip will lead back to the ferry buildings, and, for the purpose of getting earth as a foundation for those buildings, the work of tearing down a part of the point was begun some time ago.

The contract for the work was let to Foley Brothers & Muir, who sub-let to James McMahon, the contractor of Spear street, San Francisco. The contract called for the removal of 275,000 cubic yards of earth. The removal of this material has been in progress for some time, by means of a steam shovel and by blasting. As soon as the earth is loosened it is put on trains and sent along a temporary trestle to the place of destination.

This morning McMahon had a force of about forty men engaged in various parts of the work. Their lodging place was in a camp on the top of the point. Happily, they were distant from the scene when the explosion occurred.

HOGAN IS DEAD.

PINOLE, April 7.—Twenty-five cans of black powder, used in blasting in the construction works at Point Richmond, on the Valley road, exploded this morning. James Hogan was killed and Thomas Keafe burned so badly that he will die. Dan Quill, the superintendent, was burned about the face and arms, but will recover. No other men were hurt. The men were working in a drift and Hogan was told to open a can of powder. Instead of unscrewing it properly, he proceeded to chop the top off the can, which caused the accident. A spark from the ax set off the can and that can in turn set off the twenty. There was a tremendous noise with the explosion.

MRS. BERNARD CLAIMS SHE WAS KIDNAPPED.

The police are investigating a very strange story told by Mrs. Dottie Bernard. She claims to have been kidnaped by four young men and kept locked up in a house on San Pablo avenue, near the race track, for four days.

The attention of the police was first directed to the matter today about noon. The neighbors were suddenly startled by hearing a window broken and a woman screaming. The police were summoned by the neighbors. When Officer Curtiss arrived he found the door locked. He broke it in and found the woman in the house in a state of great exhaustion. Her hand was also bleeding where she had cut it in her attempt to escape through the window. She was taken to the Receiving Hospital, where her wounds were dressed. Afterward she was taken to the City Hall to tell her story. The police will try to discover the names of her jailers and arrest them.

At the hospital the woman told her story as follows:

"My home is at 2045 Chestnut street, where I have been residing with my husband. He is a cake baker and works in Ward's bakery on Fourteenth street.

"On Tuesday evening I was on my way home when a young man named Joe Taylor and three companions approached me. Taylor, who works in the butcher shop where I deal, offered to see me home. I consented. When we passed his house he and his companions suddenly thrust me into the house. The door was then locked and I have been kept a prisoner for four days. They have given me some old crusts of bread to eat. I tried to get out but could not force the door. Today I made up my mind that I could not stand it any longer, so tried to break through the window. The glass cut my hand but I did not mind it. I was so weak that I could not get through the window after I had broken it. I do not know what my husband will think when I return home."

Joseph J. Taylor's residence is given in the directory as 924 Twenty-fourth street. Mrs. Bernard said he was employed at M. Arnold's butcher shop, 1125 San Pablo avenue. She admitted that she had had some liquor before she met Taylor and his companions.

BOUND TO LYNCH A NEGRO BRUTE.

Illinois Farmers on the Way to Take Him From Jail.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

ANTON, Ill., April 7.—Last night about 200 citizens of Upper Alton and vicinity tried to mob John Howard, colored, charged with criminally assaulting Mrs. William Brown, white. Howard was spirited to the county jail in Edwardsville.

This morning several hundred farmers from near Forsterburg came here determined to lynch the negro. They heard Howard had been sent to Edwardsville, but had a committee visit the Alton jail to ascertain if Howard was there. The committee went through the jail and reported that Howard was not there.

The farmers then left for Edwardsville, and are now on their way there, determined to take summary justice on the negro.

Canadian Mining Laws.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 7.—An order in council has been passed preventing any person employed by the government in any capacity from staking out or recording mining claims on Dominion lands of any kind in the Yukon territory. It was also decided to exempt from the reality tax the gross output of any mine up to the amount of $5,000.

Wants Big Alimony.

Mrs. Mary E. Fink has applied to the courts to award her $200 a month alimony and $500 counsel fees pending the trial of her suit for divorce from Alonzo W. Fink.

RACE WITH A FEMALE MANIAC.

Lashes Horse Through the Streets of Stockton.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

STOCKTON, April 7.—Miss Etta Lockjoy, who has been in Clark's private hospital for the insane for two weeks, escaped last night from the institution by cutting a lock out of the window casing with a pair of shears. She then slid down a rain spout.

She is 17 years of age, and was sent from the vicinity of Madera, where her parents own a farm.

A search was made for her last night by the officers, but no trace of her could be found. It was learned this morning, however, that she had secured a horse and buggy from a local livery man, and today she gave the officers and others quite a chase after her.

She drove the foaming horse through the streets at break-neck speed, whipping the animal with maniacal vigor.

She was caught about four miles from town by a man on horseback and taken back to the asylum.

VICTORY FOR HUNTINGTON.

The Texas Legislature Gives Him Wharfage at Galveston.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

AUSTIN, Texas, April 7.—The House of the Texas Legislature has passed to third reading the Senate bill confirming the action of the Galveston City Council in granting to C. P. Huntington ten blocks of the wharves in Galveston bay.

BOLD BURGLARY IN BERKELEY.

The members of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity at the University of California reported to the police today that their hall in Berkeley had been ransacked by burglars. When they arose this morning, the young men found their clothes scattered all about the house. It was found that about $200 had been stolen besides some jewelry.

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MYSTERY HINTS AT TRAGEDY.

Disappearance of Deshayes Causes Foul Play to Be Suspected.

What has become of Louis Deshayes? He has been lost to friends and family for ten years, during which time, in all parts of the world, he has been vainly sought by his wife, Mrs. L. Deshayes, of 724 Vallejo street, San Francisco.

In the disappearance of Deshayes the house 2102 Elm street in this city is mixed up, though to what extent is not exactly known.

The fact of Deshayes' disappearance and the involving in the episode of the house above mentioned, is revived by the following advertisement, which appears in a San Francisco paper:

"Mrs. L. Deshayes, of 724 Vallejo street, San Francisco, would like to have information about the characters of L. Villegin, H. X. Van de Casteel, and Emil Penez, who in 1889 were living at 2102 Elm street, Oakland, in the same house where L. Deshayes Dit Barra, editor of Le Bayard, mysteriously disappeared July 9, 1889."

Deshayes was the editor of Le Bayard, a French paper published in San Francisco in 1889.

In that year a series of articles appeared in the paper, reflecting, it is said, upon the characters of French residents of that city.

As a consequence it is told that the French colony was divided into two factions, and each faction was desirous of celebrating the fall of the Bastile.

Deshayes displayed anonymous letters threatening him with death at the hands of a Chinese assassin as a consequence of some of his articles. Libel suits followed against him by Edward Larcher, Leon Rey and Paul Husson. Another charge was preferred against him by John Lucette growing out of a challenge issued to him by Deshayes.

Judge Hornblower in the Police Court held Deshayes to answer for criminal libel under $2,000 bonds. The editor was also found guilty of libel and was released on bail.

On July 9, 1889, Deshayes disappeared. On the following day his wife received a note purporting to come from him saying that he was in hiding at 2102 Elm street.

Mrs. Deshayes says she does not believe that the letter was genuine, because it lacked one cipher word which always was found in his letters to her. Other letters since then, purporting to have come from him, have been received by others, but the wife denies their reliability.

Mrs. Deshayes says that she believes her husband is dead and that he has come to his death by violence. For some time after his disappearance Mrs. Deshayes felt that he had been shanghaied or sent out of the country through an unknown agency.

Deshayes life was insured for $20,000, but the policy is valueless, because the wife is unable to prove the death of her husband.

Why, at this late date, Mrs. Deshayes should make inquiries as regards the occupants of the house, 2102 Elm street, of ten years ago is unknown, unless she wishes in some way to hold them responsible for the disappearance of her husband. And yet such information as she seeks now could perhaps have been secured with greater satisfaction at the time her husband is alleged to have disappeared.

Deshayes, according to the story of the day, seemed to be between two fires, the penalty for criminal libel, of which he was convicted, and the stiletto of the assassin for his editorial assaults.

In the Oakland Directory of 1889 appears the name of "Leon Villegia as residing at 2102 Elm street. In the directory of the succeeding year the same name appears at the same address, the occupation given being that of gunmaker. In this name the final letter is "a," whereas in the advertisement above quoted the final letter is "n." This is probably a typographical error, the name intended being Villegia.

In the directory of this year Villegia also appears as a resident of Elm street, but his address is given as 2060 Elm street.

The directories of none of the years mentioned contain either of the names of Van de Casteel or Penez.

OTIS REPORTS HIS CASUALTIES.

Additional Names of Killed and Wounded Americans.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Under today's date General Otis reported from Manila to Adjutant-General Corbin the following casualties not heretofore reported:

"Killed: Third Artillery—March 25, Company K, Sergeant Edwin W. Wall.

"Wounded: Company H, Privates Richard King, scalp, slight; Company L, William French, forearm, slight; F. A. John, hand, slight.

"March 27—Company K, Second Lieutenant Lloyd, England, finger, slight; Sergeant William Montgomery, hand, slight.

"First Washington—March 26, Company B, Private W. B. Pincheon, hand, slight.

"Tenth Pennsylvania, March 30—Company D, Private George B. Gimms, foot, slight.

"First Colorado, March 31—Company C, Private G. P. Dyerman, shoulder, slight.

"Twenty-third Infantry—Company L, John L. Jones, hand, moderate.

"First Montana—Killed, April 4—Company L, Corporal Rowlands.

"Wounded: Band—Sergeant Cowell, ankle, slight; G, Privates William Bort, knee, severe; M, Frank Lauderman, chest, severe.

"Answering inquiry, Albert W. Hartriggen, Troop E, Fourth Cavalry, accidentally shot in barracks March 10 with revolver in hands of Private Stolkman, same troop. He died following morning. Investigating board officers' report mailed."

Warren Leland's Funeral.

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CHICAGO, Ill., April 7.—The funeral of Warren Leland, formerly proprietor of the Windsor Hotel in New York, took place today, Rev. John P. Balc of Chicago officiating. The body was buried in Oakwood cemetery.

Auction Auction

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ARTHUR MILLER SHOOTS HIMSELF

A Sacramento Sporting Man Commits Suicide.

Associated Press Dispatches by
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SACRAMENTO, April 7.—Arthur Miller, one of the best-known saloon-keepers and sporting men in California, proprietor of the Rhoads and Townsend House, a resort for politicians and sporting people, committed suicide this morning by firing a bullet into his brain. Ill heath is the supposed cause.

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Strike Quickly.

"On the instant when a lion shows his temper" said a famous lion tamer "cut him quickly over the face. Don't wait until he springs at you." This is equally good advice for treating the lion of disease. Many an attack of dangerous illness would be headed off if at the first premonitory symptoms the victim would strike quickly.

Those severe coughs, bronchial affections and wasting diseases which merge into consumption would never get their savage teeth into the constitution if their early signs were headed off by Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It provides such an abundance of rich nourishing blood that tuberculosis germs have no chance to get any lodgment in the lungs. It clears the skin and purges all the impurities from every organ. It invigorates the liver to expel all bilious poisons from the circulation. It creates healthy tissue, vitalized nerve fiber and gives solid strength.

"I have thought for a long time," writes Mrs. Rose Petty, of Lockville Chatham Co., N. C., "that I would not do you justice if I did not write and tell you how I was cured of that dreadful disease called consumption, by using Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I had measles and pneumonia both at the same time, and came near dying, and as soon as I was able to go out I was taken with grip, and then followed consumption. My physician did all he could for my relief but I received none. I tried every thing that I could hear of that was good for a cough but grew worse, and would have died soon had I not commenced using the 'Golden Medical Discovery.' I felt improved before the first bottle was finished. I took six bottles, and after that I felt better and stronger than in ten years before. That was six years ago, and to-day do not feel any symptoms of a return of the disease. I remain cured, and I think I am the cure of a friend being cured by using the same medicine. He was afflicted as I was, and after every thing failed to cure him he took Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and was cured."

CANADA'S MILITARY NEEDS

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

OTTAWA, Ont., April 7.—The annual meeting of the United Empire League was held here last night. Lieutenant-Colonel Denis, of Toronto presided. The annual report advocated the immediate inauguration of the fast Atlantic service, and the Pacific Canal, the formation of a naval reserve and the establishment of a naval militia. These subjects were adopted last year and they have again been accepted.

Sir Louis Davies, in the absence of the Minister of Militia, dealt with the proposed establishment of a naval reserve, and said plans are under consideration by the imperial government. He thought that if Great Britain supplied the necessary guns, there should be no difficulty in establishing naval reserves. Sir Charles Tupper and others spoke on the necessity of strengthening the defenses of the country.

Cotton Workers Strike.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 7.—About 2,500 cotton operatives are out in this State and there is some danger of the strike spreading in the Pawuchet valley. The entire force of weavers in the two mills of the Quidnick Company is out, as well as the frame spinners and back boys. Robert Knight's mills at Lippitt are doing but little, the weavers having marched out.

INSOLENCE OF GERMAN CONSUL

Admiral Kautz's Wrath at the Gross Insults of the Samoan Satrap.

APIA, Samoa, March 24, (via San Francisco, April 7.)—The Associated Press correspondent had an interview with Admiral Kautz yesterday. He spoke quite freely on the situation, and considers he has been grossly insulted by the German Consul-General issuing his counter proclamation.

The Admiral takes the stand that the Berlin treaty, which he is instructed by his Government to uphold, does not make any provision whatever for a provisional government. His instructions are to carry out the treaty in accordance with the views of a majority of the Consular representatives.

The Admiral is very wroth with the German Consul, and blames him entirely for the present attitude of the rebels, as the natives were obeying his command to retire to their homes when the German proclamation was issued.

KAUTZ STANDS FIRM.

At the meeting of the Consuls and senior naval officers on the flagship the Admiral explained his position. Under the treaty there could be no provisional government, and the agreement, under which it had been recognized under peculiar and trying circumstances for the protection of life and property, was just as provisional, as the government itself. He had to stand by the Supreme Court, and he hoped that a plan of action would be agreed for restoring peace to the islands without the intervention of armed force.

CONSUL ROSE'S POSITION

The British and American Consuls and naval officers agreed with the Admiral. The German Consul, having accepted the provisional government, could not recede from that position under any circumstances whatever until he had instructions from Berlin. Later on after the meeting, Rose presented his views in writing to the Admiral, and stated that German warships could only act if German property or life were to be protected against danger or in the case of the Supreme Court issuing a warrant for arrest against individuals. On no other ground could German warships interfere in Samoa, and according to instructions under which he acted there would be no military interference by Germany. He also protested against the issue of the proclamation by Admiral Kautz, pending instructions from the treaty powers; also against the return to Apia of the deported Malietoans, with menace to the peace of Samoa, and he reminded the Admiral that the Falke had made no promise to help, according to the Admiral's proclamation. He was afraid that the Admiral would do harm by its issue, and that already people were afraid of the rebels around Apia.

The Admiral replied that he must be governed in his actions by a conviction of his duty, and not by his fears; that in his proclamation he meant exactly what he said, and was not speaking flippantly; and what he had proclaimed, he would do.

THE ADMIRAL INSULTED.

The fact that with all his correspondence and protests to the Admiral, the German Consul did not consider it necessary to forward a copy of his counter-proclamation to the Admiral had not increased the good feeling between the Admiral and the Consul. Never before by an official had the Admiral been treated in such a discourteous and insulting manner.

THE GERMANS TO BLAME.

APIA, Samoa, March 24.—(Via San Francisco, April 7.)—There have been lively times in Samoa during the past few days. The United States and British warships have shelled Mataafa's forces repeatedly and sailors have been landed at Apia to protect property. Numerous casualties have resulted on both sides.

Admiral Kautz and the commanders of the British ships are anxiously awaiting advices from their governments, and in the meantime the shelling process proceeds daily.

When Admiral Kautz arrived on the Philadelphia he spent two days in making inquiries, and then called a meeting of all the Consuls and the senior officers of all the warships in the harbor. As a result of the meeting a proclamation was issued by the Admiral declaring that the so-called provisional government, under Mataafa can have no legal status under the Berlin treaty, and therefore cannot be recognized by the consular and naval representatives, and ordering Mataafa and his supporters to quietly go to their homes and respect the laws of the Berlin treaty. It was further ordered that the people ejected from their homes be returned, and the power of the naval force, it was stated, would be used against all who disregarded the rights of peaceably disposed people.

The authority of the Chief Justice was upheld by the proclamation, and the Admiral closed by saying that he trusts that there may be no occasion to use military powers. The proclamation is signed by Admiral Kautz.

This proclamation was taken to Mataafa, and read to him by Flag Lieutenant Miller. It was received in silence, and no answer was made. Mataafa and his chiefs quietly left, and went to the western portion of the municipality, and it seemed as if they were about to obey the commands to return to their homes.

GENERAL PROCLAMATION.

The German consul, however, issued a counter proclamation, in the Samoan language, which was distributed among the Mataafans. The proclamation reads as follows:

"Notice to all Samoans: By the proclamation of the Admiral of the United States, dated March 11, was made known that the three Consuls of the signatory powers of the Berlin treaty, as well as the three commanders of men-of-war, had been unanimous to no more recognize the provisional government composed of Mataafa and the thirteen chiefs.

"I therefore make known to you that this proclamation is quite false. I, the German Consul-General, continue to recognize the provisional government of Samoa until I have received contrary instructions from my government.

"Apia, 13th March, 1899.
"Apia, 13th March, 1899.
"(Signed) ROSE,
"German Consul-General."

REBELS PREPARE FOR WAR.

The immediate result of this act was that the rebels blackened their faces and prepared for war, deciding that they would not obey the Admiral's order and would prevent any food supplies from being brought into Samoa for the Malietoa natives. The next day Apia was surrounded by Mataafa's warriors. Forces from the Philadelphia and Porpoise, under Lieutenants Brown and Cave, were landed to protect the loyal natives. On Tuesday Mataafa, having failed to answer the Admiral's proclamation, Flag Lieutenant Miller was sent to deliver an ultimatum. He was not allowed to see the Chief, but delivered his message and retired. Everything looked ugly, and British and American bluejackets were landed in Apia to protect the consulates. Quick-firing machine guns and small field pieces were also landed.

HOSTILITES BEGIN.

Hostilities commenced on Tuesday afternoon, when a half dozen Malietoa men were taken by the Mataafans. They were taken to headquarters and bound. Early Wednesday morning notice was spread that if no answer was received from Mataafa by 1 o'clock the Philadelphia would fire one of her large guns, folowed by three-minute guns. Mataafa sent no answer. He and his chiefs were buoyed up by the German Consul's proclamation and vague talk that Germany would support them and was the greatest nation on earth, invincible in war, and that Great Britain and America would never dare to engage Germany in conflict. Signal guns were fired and the foreign population of British and Americans were taken on board of their respective warships. People of other nationalities went on board sailing vessels in the harbor. One hundred and seventy five men and officers were landed, and at Admiral Kautz's request Captain Sturdee of the Porpoise assumed command of the combined forces on shore, Flag Lieutenant Miller of the Philadelphia assisting.

SHIPS OPEN FIRE.

Surgeons were landed from both ships, and Miss McCoy and Miss Forth, missionaries, volunteered as nurses. The whole loyal native population sought protection behind the American lines. As soon as the land forces were stationed the Philadelphia opened fire by throwing a shell into the outskirts of Apia. The Royalist followed with six-inch shells, and the Porpoise went down the coast a couple of miles and bombarded the village of Valusu, where large parties of rebels were supposed to be. The church was smashed by a shell, and the house of the manager of the German plantation was damaged. The whole outskirts of Apia was shelled form the harbor, about seventy shells from the Philadelphia, which was sighted for 2,500 yards, unfortunately exploded after it had only gone 1,100 yards. It knocked over an outbuilding of the American consulate and damaged the veranda of the main building. One of the American sailors was wounded in the leg.

ATTACK ON THE BRITISH.

About dusk the rebels made an attack on the Britishers at the Tivoli Hotel. Their fire was returned, but it is not known how many were killed. About 2:30 A. M. the natives made a rush on the guard at the Tivoli. Three British sailors were killed and one wounded. The native loss is unknown. At the request of the British, a Maxim gun was sent from the Philadelphia to the British Consulate, and with it some men to work it. The next day a body of 300 Malietoans had their rifles returned to them from the Porpoise, and rendered good service in clearing the brush. The rebel village of Vaiala was burned in order to prevent the close approach to the Consulate.

GERMAN TREACHERY.

The German warship Falke attempted to leave port on a secret mission, when Admiral Kautz ordered her Captain to stay where he was and be ready to afford help to his countrymen. The Falke remained. During Thursday matters were quiet. About dusk the Americans fired on a body of Mataafans, but no one was killed.

Early Friday morning 200 rebels rushed up to within thirty yards of the Consulate. The sailors behaved splendidly, and the natives were repulsed. One American sailor was killed and one British sailor was shot in both legs. Major General Cunliffe of the British army assisted in directing operations at the Consulate.

There is intense feeling here against the Germans, and they are accused of spying and giving information to the rebels. Fighting by night is an entirely new departure in Samoan warfare, and everything points to German teaching. One Marquardart has been arrested. He was sent on board the Falke, under pledge of the German commander that he will not be allowed to land. A half-caste named Taylor has been arrested as a spy, and is in irons on the Porpoise. H. J. Moors, an American, is confined to his store under suspicion of being a Mataafa sympathizer.

Saturday and Sunday were quiet. The Tivoli Hotel has been mined in case it becomes necessary to blow it up, and two green lights from the shore is the signal to shell the hotel.

BODY OF REBELS ROUTED.

Sunday afternoon a body of native foragers came upon a Mataafa crowd, killing eight and wounding twenty of them, when the rebels fled. The foragers returned laden with booty and bringing the ears of several of their foes. Among the wounded was a nephew of Mataafa, and one of the killed was Leleua Muda, second in command of Mataafa's forces.

BOMBARDING VILLAGES.

During the past three days there has been no fighting in town. The defenses have been strengthened by the mounting of an additional gun and a couple of mines have been laid in case of a rush into town. The Porpoise has daily made a cruise along the coast, bombarding the native villages. Six of them have been destroyed. Captain Sturdee does as little killing in these expeditions as possible. The destruction of houses and boats is his object. The houses of the white residents are being looted in the vicinity of Apia.

Owing to a defective fuse, a shell from the Philadelphia burst within a couple of hundred yards of the ship and severely wounded a loyal native. An American officer was also slightly wounded in the face.

For several days the German warship Falke persistently kept in the way so as to incommode the fire of the British ships, and finally Admiral Kautz compelled her to move inside the harbor entrance out of the way.

MALIETOA CROWNED.

On March 23d King Tanu Malietoa was crowned King of Samoa at Mulinuu. Admiral Kautz and Captain White of the Philadelphia, Captain Sturdee and Captain Forlesse of the Porpoise and Royalist, the United States and British Consuls and the Chief Justice were present at the ceremony, which was attended by all the representative Americans and British. One hundred sailors from the American and British vessels composed the guard of honor. The procession marched all through Apia, headed by the band of the Philadelphia. The flagship and Porpoise fired the royal salute of twenty-one guns, but the Falke lay in the harbor as if she and her Captain had not the slightest interest in Samoa. The German officials were conspicuous by their absence.

BRITISH REINFORCE KAUTZ.

Everybody is anxiously awaiting definite news from the three powers. It is thought that if Germany acknowledges Tanu as King the rebellion will be broken. If not, Admiral Kautz will take stronger measures than hitherto. H. M. S. Tauranga arrived today.

At present there are on shore 175 men from the Philadelphia and 150 from the Porpoise and Royalist. The Tauranga has a complement of nearly 300, and this reinforcement will enable the Admiral to take offensive measures. So far he has been compelled to act on land on the defensive.

Lamp Chimney Trust.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

PITTSBURG, April 7.—The Post says: A $20,000,000 combine of lamp chimney manufacturers of the United States is in process of formation, with every indication that the promoters of the enterprise will carry the deal to a successful termination. The factories concerned in the combine comprise every manufacturer of lamp chimneys in the United States.

Opening of Welland Canal.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

TORONTO, Ont., April 7.—It is announced by the Government that the Welland canal will be open for traffic about April 24th.

THE HOMLIEST MAN IN OAKLAND

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GOAT ISLAND'S NAVAL SCHOOL.

Plans for the Buildings Have All Been Submitted.

The contract for the erection of the buildings that are to compose the Naval Training School on Yerba Buena (Goat) Island has been let to Campbell and Pettus of San Francisco, and work will be commenced this week. Captain Henry Glass, Commandant of the school, has been busy for the last three months preparing for the erection of the school. The wharf has been completed and the beach roadway built in addition to preparing the ground for the reception of the buildings, which will be situated on this side of the island, where the elevated portion will protect it from the north winds.

Senator George C. Perkins was untiring in his efforts to secure this school for the coast, and when Congress last May appropriate $100,000 for the erection of the Naval Training School it was Senator Perkins who secured its location on Goat Island.

The main building, as shown by the plans, is unique, especially as regards its interior design. It is so constructed as to combine many of the characteristics of a ship. It is the first building that the Government has constructed upon modern barracks principles, and it is the first devised especially for the training of sailors. The structure is classical in its design, especially so for a Government building, and the style of architecture used is attractive to the eye. It is to be 300 feet long by 60 wide, its main part containing the large drill hall on the lower floor, with a gallery or hammock deck above extending the entire length of the building. There are wings at each end of the building 60 feet wide, and which extend 100 feet to the rear. These wings contain the mess hall, kitchen, bag room, bathroom, lavatory, dressing-room, drying-room, schoolroom, library and offices. The entire interior of the building is open to the roof, and there is no second story except the gallery, 12 feet wide, which extends all around the hall. All of the appointments have been carefully studied out with the single view of conforming as much as possible to the routine of life on ship.

The training ship Pensacola, which was brought down from Mare Island ten days ago, is now anchored off Yerba Buena Island. Captain Glass has established his headquarters on this ship and is now busy superintending the enlistment of naya apprentices and matters pertaining to the building of the Training School. He said yesterday that the school would be completed by September. There are to be built a number of officers' headquarters. Until these are completed Captain Glass and the seven officers who are to be his assistants in the direction of the affairs of the school will continue to live aboard the Pensacola.

Captain Glass reports that apprentices are rapidly enlisting. The training ship Adams which recently left on a five months' cruise, carried 100 boys, and the Mohican will also leave in the near future for a cruise and will carry all the boys that have been enlisted up to that time. The Pensacola will remain here permanently as the receiving ship, and it is on board this vessel that all applicants have to appear to be examined.

In speaking of the school Captain Glass said: "When it is finished it will be in every particular as nearly perfect as money and experience can make it. The school will meet all requirements and it will be equal to the Training School at Newport. A new impetus has been given to the naval system of training boys to become 'the men behind the guns,' especially since the importance of good marksmanship was shown at Manila and Santiago, where the economy of all the money that had been spent in teaching the young idea how to shoot was so tellingly emphasized. Nearly all of the men who sighted the ordnance of the battleships and cruisers with such terrible effect that the entire Spanish force afloat was annihilated in two battles, each of short duration, had been graduated from the apprentice training ships. With the prospect of an enlarged navy the necessity for drilling men-o'-war's men from youth to maturity increased, and the Navy Department has lost no time in expanding its well-proved system to meet the demand."

BOUND FOR MANILA.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 7.—Major Tierney, commandant at Fort Monroe, has departed for San Francisco under orders to proceed to Manila where he will be assigned to active service.

Several batteries of the Sixth Artillery, it is anticipated, will today receive orders to join the forces in the Philippines.

In this event it is generally expected that an adequate complement of batteries to replace these sent abroad will be drawn from the Fourth Artillery.

Colonel Guenther will succeed Major Tierney as commandant at the fort.

More Dreyfus Secrets.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

PARIS, April 7.—The Voltaire, which published an installment of the evidence given before the Court of Cassation by M Paleologue, one of the permanent officials of the Foreign Office, regarding the repudiation by the Italian Government and by Colonel Schwartzkoppen, former German military attache here, of relations with Dreyfus, publishes a further installment showing that the so-called secret dossier is not connected with Dreyfus except as regards a single document, a letter mentioning him, which is dated after his condemnation, and is therefore unimportant.

Fell Under the Wheels.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, April 7.—Allen Dalrymple assistant superintendent in the railway mail service, was instantly killed by a train at the Union Station last night. Mr. Dalrymple was attempting to board an outgoing Frisco train, but missed his footing and fell under the wheels. He was about to start on a tour of inspection in the line of his duty. He was 42 years of age and a native of Alabama.

WHEN THE SHIP COMES IN.

The Precious Freight It Carries.

A Little Love-Scape Painted by the Master Hand of Charles Dickens.

Who will ever forget the love story of roguish and willful Bella Wilfer and how she shook the golden dust of the Golden Dustman's house from her little sandals and wedded John Rokesmith? They hied them down to the water side, and there in a little cottage lived through the honeymoon. One of the daintiest touches in the whole story is the way in which Bella tells her husband of the coming ship. She has told John she has something serious to speak about, and womanlike talks of everything else before the one thing burdening her heart, and twists and turns a button of his coat shyly, while she struggles with her secret.

"And now we've got to the bottom of it at last" said her husband, "and this is the thing that made you serious?"

"No dear," said Bella, twisting the button and shaking her head, "It wasn't this, but it was quite another sort of seriousness, a much deeper and quieter sort of seriousness that I spoke of, John dear."

As he bent his face to hers, she raised hers to meet it and laid her little hand on his eyes and kept it there.

"Do you remember, John, the day we were married of pa's speaking of the ships that might be sailing to us from unknown seas?"

"Perfectly, my darling."

"I think—among them—there is a ship upon the ocean—bringing—to you and me— a little baby, John."

In her heart every young mother chants

THE MAGNIFICAT OF MARY

when it is borne on her that she is shadowed by that mighty mystery of motherhood. There is no other moment so momentous in a woman's life as this. A new look grows upon her face, a new dignity clothes her. She turns her face back to the mothers of the world.

"Who to her cross and passion bring
Their fellowship of suffering."

But in her very hour of uplifting perhaps there falls upon her the shadow of coming suffering, and she shrinks from it, anticipating the burden almost too great for her strength.

For it is a fact that the child which should be a blessing seems, sometimes, a curse. There is no strength to nurse or nourish the little one, who tugs vainly at the dry fountain of the breast with eager, thirsty lips.

Why is it?

Why must women pay such a painful price for motherhood? It seems unreasonable and unnatural that such a price should be exacted for the simple fulfillment of the law of being. For Nature echoes and enforces the divine command "increase and multiply."

It IS unreasonable and unnatural that woman alone should be singled out for such a penalty. Every living thing brings forth "fruit after his kind," naturally, regularly, and without strain or struggle as compared with the strain and struggle of human motherhood. The first thing that every woman needs to be taught is that the larger part of

WOMAN'S SUFFERING IS UNNATURAL

and unnecessary. That apart from the momentary birth pang, maternity should be a joy unalloyed. If it is not so it is because of

"——the social laws
That err from honest Nature's rule;"

Because in succeeding generations women have sacrificed their vital forces to the idol, Custom, and when they are confronted with maternity are unequal to its demands. It would seem apparent that all this could be changed—that children could be borne with little pain and nursed with boundless pleasure if the lost vital power could be restored to women. All woman needs is strength, and if she can obtain that, the ordeal of maternity loses all its terrors. Tens of thousands of women have found this strength in the use of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. To give strength and vigor to the delicate womanly organs is the mission of this medicine. It does this by a two-fold process. First, it cures the debilitating drains, ulcerations, inflammations and female weakness which sap woman's strength. Next, it imparts a vigorous vitality to the delicate organs, places them in a condition of natural strength, so that all their functions being performed naturally and healthfully, are performed in Nature's way with the least expenditure of strength, the least strain, the least friction.

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Mrs. Anna Willy of (Michigan House) Northville, Spink Co., S. Dak., writes: "I am enjoying good health, thanks to your kind advice and valuable remedies. I suffered very much with female weakness and other ailments for more than two years, when I wrote to you for advice. After carefully following your advice and taking six bottles each of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and 'Golden Medical Discovery,' I am now a well and happy woman."

Mrs. Mattie Venghaus, of Tioga, Hancock Co., Ills., writes: "I had been sick for seven years, not in bed, but just dragging myself around. At last I took three bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and five of 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and it is IMPOSSIBLE TO DESCRIBE IN WORDS the good these medicines did me."

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Mrs. M. F. Long, of Le Loup, Franklin Co., Kansas, writes: "Words cannot express how grateful I am for your kind advice and good medicines. I have been in poor health more or less all my life. In the past nine years grew worse, and two years ago I was so poorly could hardly drag around. I consulted a specialist, and he said I had ulceration and that an operation would have to be performed. This did not seem necessary to me. I at last wrote to Dr. Pierce, asking advice. I received an answer advising me to try his medicines, the 'Favorite Prescription,' 'Golden Medical Discovery,' and also his 'Pleasant Pellets.' I bought two bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription,' two of the 'Discovery,' and two vials of the 'Pellets,' and took these medicines as advised. When commencing I weighed 119½ pounds, and after taking one bottle of each I was like a new woman. In one month I gained 8 pounds. After taking two bottles of each of the medicines named, I began to look like a woman, and not like a wasted skeleton. That weary, tired feeling all left me, and it did seem as though life was worth living and that I had been snatched from the grave and would live to a good old age."

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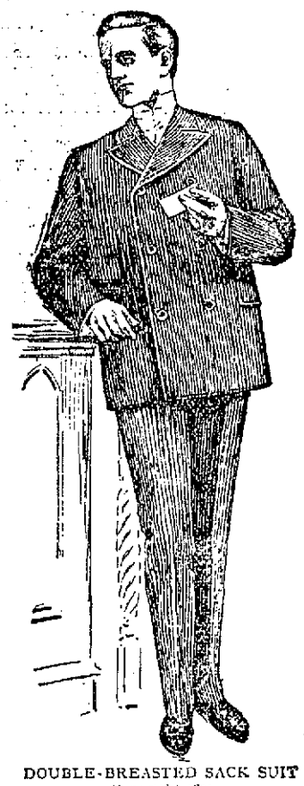

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PULPIT AND POLITICS.

Outlook Club Members Assemble at a Banquet.

"The Pulpit and Politics" was the topic of the opening paper read by Rev. Frank S. Brush of the First Presbyterian Church of Alameda, before the Outlook Club at its dinner last evening in Hotel Metropole, which was followed by an animated and on the whole conservative discussion. The radical or affirmative side as to the right of the pulpit to enter the domain of politics was maintained by the author of the paper, who explained that owing to considerations of time and space he had left the matter of the limitations and modifications of that right to be presented by the participants in the following discussion. These were stated in different terms and degrees, yet with substantial agreement, by these and other gentlemen: C. F. Baker, J. L. Richardson, R. W. Snow, J. E. Baker, F. E. Van Buskirk, W. K. Vickery, Rev. George B. Hatch, D. E. Collins, Professor Charles Nash, Professor J. H. Goodell, Dr. W. H. Moxson, John H. Stevens, Professor Arthur Alexander and R. H. Chamberlain.

The leader of this discussion began with the statement that it was impossible to give a blank negative to the question should a minister discuss political questions in the pulpit. A historical study of the question forbids that answer. He cited the example of John the Baptist and that of Jesus in denouncing Pharisees and the crying sins of his time. All would admit today he said, that the questions pertaining to human bondage, the evils of slavery, the benefits of freedom, were of the very heart of the Gospel. Yet, forty years ago this subject was tabooed in most of the pulpits of America as being political. Is the pulpit to discuss political questions only when it is safe and convenient to do so? From the days of John the Baptist until now there have been preachers with quite the opposite view on that point.

"Historians and essayists like Bancroft and Froude," Mr. Brush continued, "assert that modern political ideas go back for their origin to Calvin's pulpit in Geneva. Emerson declares that the Puritan pulpits were 'the springs of American liberty.' Back of the Puritan pulpits of America were those of England, and those of England had been trained at Geneva. John Knox was also trained at Geneva.

"In our own revolutionary war against the mother country there were thirty-nine general officers, of whom ten were Major-Generals, who had been trained in the politico-religious doctrine of John Knox—that is, they were of Scotch ancestry and training. The bulk of the troops from Pennsylvania and Virginia and the Carolinas was of the same stock. One preacher of those days said he was sorry to see so many able-bodied men at church, when they ought to be at Valley Forge. Another clergyman, at the battle of Springfield, New Jersey, rushed into the church and brought out the hymn-books to furnish wadding for the soldiers' guns, and shouted, 'Give them Watts, boys!' And they did give them Watts, and the 'fits,' too.

A peculiarity of the progress of the Anglo-Saxon has been just this commingling of religion and politics. There is scarcely an accepted political principle of today that has not been at some time a burning religious question; and there is scarcely a religious tenet of the Protestant churches that has not at some time been a bitter political question: as for example Knox's preaching against the doctrine of transsubstantiation shook the Scottish throne to its foundation and led to the changing of the whole political fabric of Scotland.

"Horace Mann tells us that one New Hampshire pastor trained one hundred and fifty men for the learned professions including Ezekiel and Daniel Webster's magnificent tribute to the American pulpit: 'Where have the life-giving waters of civilization ever sprung up save in the track of the Christian ministry?'

"The pulpit has done its work so well in past generations, that there is less excuse than formerly, for its touching upon such themes. I rejoice that this is so. The political parson is an abomination and we all feel a little shy of the pulpit taking part in matters political. Nevertheless it is impossible for me to see how the can lay aside its obligation to maintain in its purity what its heroic efforts have helped to establish.

"Human life has a unity that makes it impossible to separate the various threads, political, religious, literary, artistic and industrial. The commonest commercial question might be suddenly transformed into a world wide religious one. Human life is one. The great and eternal truths that furnish the themes for every pulpit, have innumerable points of contact with the whole life of man.

"If the pulpit is to cease its work of rounding out the moral and spiritual nature of men and thus prepare them for the duties of citizenship, where then shall we look for such work to be done? Do politics contain in themselves the power of cleansing? Can the work be left entirely to the newspaper press of today? Can the public schools assume this great function? To ask these questions, is to answer them in the negative."

The speakers who carried on the discussion took the view that the minister should invariably stop short of partisanship, that as a rule he might better leave purely economical questions alone, that he should apply the principles of honesty and righteousness to specific cases, only when obvious public necessity demanded, and should use sanctified common sense in doing that.

"What we need," remarked Mayor Snow, "is not more politics in the pulpit, but more pulpit in politics."

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NEVADA GIRLS AT BERKELEY.

Arrive Tonight For the Basket Ball Game Tomorrow.

BERKELEY, April 7.—The Nevada University basket ball team will arrive in Oakland tonight at 8 o'clock. The visitors will be met at the Sixteenth street station by the Berkeley girls and escorted to the University, where they will be entertained. The game between the two teams will be played at Odd Fellows' Hall, in San Francisco tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. As soon as the game is over the Nevada players will leave for Palo Alto. They will be the guests of the Stanford team and will play a game with the latter on Monday. Stanford will be on hand tomorrow to inspire the Nevada girls with songs and yells. Miss L. A. Linscott of the Berkeley team will entertain a part of the Nevada girls in Berkeley Monday night. The following is the line-up of the Nevada team: Guards—Miss Louise Ward (captain), Miss Sparks, Miss Ethel Peckham; forwards, Miss Worland, Miss Stella Linscott, Miss Strasnider; centers, with one substitute, Miss Frances Kerby, Miss Parish, Miss Montrose and Miss Hill.

Miss Beth Stubbs is the manager and Miss Edwards of Stanford is the coach of the Nevada team. Mrs. Linscott accompanies the young ladies as chaperone.

Dr. John Fryer, professor of Oriental languages and literature at the University, has been honored by the California Academy of Sciences with the privileges of life membership. Dr. Fryer has recently delivered a series of popular lectures upon Chinese life and customs under the Academy's auspices, and it is in recognition of his services that the honor is conferred.

Final arrangements have been completed for the grand review and sham battle of the military cadets on Friday, April 28. The exercises will last all day. After the annual inspection and regimental parade, which will begin at 9:30 a. m., the sham battle will begin. It will probably be the best one ever seen at the University. Major W. Ede and Major W. Hackley will command the two battalions for the attack and defense. The battalions on the defensive will be stationed amid the college buildings, prepared to resist assault from the attacking party, advancing from below. Several thousand rounds of ammunition have been provided for the occasion. The engagement will be watched by inspecting officers from the United States regulars, and a decision awarded as to the merits of both attack and defense.

ALAMEDA NEWS.

Under the provisions of the new Stratton municipal election law many of Alameda's citizens will lose their votes at the coming city election. City Attorney Taylor has given an opinion that registration after March 16 will not permit the person so registered to vote. City Clerk Lamborn has mailed this opinion to the election officers of each precinct. There will be no voting of certificates, as in previous elections, and this means the loss of many votes.

While riding on a High-street car Wednesday afternoon Mrs. R. H. Fallmer of 1112 Court street and her two little daughters and Mrs. Anna O'Brien of 1105 Court street were hurled to the ground by the motorman losing control of the car as it rounded the curve at San Jose avenue. Mrs. Fallmer had her 2-year-old daughter on her lap, and though the baby escaped injury Mrs. Fallmer was badly hurt. Her right shoulder was dislocated and she was severely bruised on the hip and side. Mrs. Anna O'Brien and the children escaped with slight bruises.

Unity Circle of the Unitarian Church met today and completed arrangements for giving Perham Nahl's living picture entertainment for the benefit of the church.

Invitations are out for the marriage of Miss Alice Gibons, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robbinson Gibons of Central and Park avenues, and Francis Barnum Graves. The wedding will take place on Wednesday evening, April 19. Graves is an assistant librarian in the Mechanics' Library and a vestryman of Christ Church, and his affianced is popular in Alameda society circles.

At the last meeting of the City Trustees an amendment was introduced by Trustee Clark fixing the salary of City Clerk Lamborn at $150. It is now $115, with additional allowance for deputy hire, which City Clerk Lamborn promises to dispense with if granted the increase.

The Exempt Fire Company of Alameda has decided to maintain an organization regardless of the abolition of the relief fund by a recent decision of the Supreme Court.

Dr. A. W. Scott, principal of the High School, delivered an illustrated lecture on "Rome" before the Encinal Literary Society last night.

A number of Municipal League candidates spoke at the meeting in the Wigwam at Neptune Gardens last night.

The funeral of David G. Alexander was held from the residence, 1140 Broadway, at 1:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Personal and Social

D. Haynes was recently in Tracy.

Mrs. J. Tangsroth and children have been spending a few days in Gilroy, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Einfeldt.

Miss Maude Rogers was recently the guest of Miss Bertha Dixon in Gilroy.

Miss F. Helton is registered at the St. Denis, in New York.

Miss Belle Bargion has returned to her home in Napa, after a visit to Miss Clara Rhoda of West Oakland.

Miss Margaret Inerle of Mills College was recently visiting in Napa.

Miss Edith Smith of Merced, who has been visiting Miss Florence Athein of this city, has left for a visit to friends in San Jose.

Miss Bunner of San Diego is the guest of Mrs. Edward Kauffman in this city.

Mrs. Dannals is the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. E. Smith, in Marysville.

Miss M. Ella Hall has been spending a week's vacation in Fairfield.

Frank Galmarino of Fairfield was recently visiting his parents in this city.

Mrs. J. C. Vance of Stockton is visiting her daughter, Miss Nellie Vance, in Berkeley.

Dr. and Mrs. Roland Miller of Napa were recent visitors in this city.

Miss Emma Fischer of San Jose is the guest of friends in Alameda.

William G. Agar of Alameda has gone to San Jose on business.

Ernest Livingston and Miss Livingston attended the dance given by the Tuesday Evening Cotillion Club of Alameda.

The Volunteer Fire Department of Temescal gave an enjoyable dance Tuesday evening.

Charles Klinkner of Golden Gate has returned from a visit to Los Gatos.

J. J. Donovan of Lorin is in Palo Alto on business.

Miss Mabel Lovedale of Sacramento is the guest of Mrs. H. D. Wiard of Temescal.

Mrs. J. J. Miller of 26 Telegraph avenue has returned from a two weeks' visit in Sacramento.

Ross McDonald is the guest of friends in Acampo.

Mrs. J. P. Lenoge has been spending a week in Hollister, the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. W. Scott.

Mrs. Bradley and daughter have returned to Merced, after a visit to Mrs. Bradley's son, Dr. L. H. Bradley, in this city.

Charles A. Brown was recently in Santa Cruz.

Miss Maud Steele has been spending a week in Mayfield, the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Rose.

Mrs. Captain Nielson was recently in Benicia, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Gurnee.

Julia Whitman is spending a week in Bella Vista.

J. J. Olsen of Sierraville was a recent visitor in this city.

Miss Hodgson is in Modesto, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. E. de Yoe.

Miss Maud Westlake is spending several weeks in Kingsburg, the guest of her sister, Mrs. Edgar Boot.

LUNCH TIME TOO SHORT.

A home-keeping friend of mine and I took lunch together the other day. He had never been out of the State of Ohio while I was just back from three years' residence and travel in India. "Now," said my innocent companion as he sipped his coffee, "we have half an hour yet before us; suppose you tell me all about India. You talk and I'll listen."

An attack of lockjaw could not have took all the courage I could muster to get out of bed at all. When I tried to stand erect on my feet it felt as though knives were piercing my thighs and legs.

"During the day I would have attacks in my spine which involved my head and seemed to extend to all the leading nerves in my body. These attacks were often so sudden they made me dizzy. I lost my appetite and was disqualified for mental effort. I felt so dull and heavy in both mind and body that I lost interest in everything. I was moody, disheartened and discouraged. To me the future appeared as unwholesome and discolored as my own yellow skin and eyes.

"Many people had recommended Warner's Safe Cure to me and I made up my mind to try it. The result was beyond my expectations or hopes. Up to that time I had been in such misery that I would alternately stand on one foot and then on the other to ease the pain, but before I had finished the first bottle of the Safe Cure I felt a change for the better. After having taken five bottles in all—a time covering perhaps as many weeks—the pain was entirely gone and I enjoyed the unspeakable blessing of good health. From these facts, when people ask me my opinion of Warner's Safe Cure, you can imagine what my answer is.—Edmund Stevens, Jacques, Wayne Ave, Germantown, Pa.

Now if the reader will lend me his ears for a minute I will say a few plain words suggested by the above letter.

The complaint which gave Mr. Jacques such an unhappy experience was that form of rheumatism commonly called sciatica. Few diseases are more painful and prostrating. Our friend has in no way exaggerated the torments which it is capable of inflicting. If the ancient inquisitors, who sought to correct heresy by means of bodily pain, could have imposed at will the agonies of acute rheumatism, they might have spared themselves the use of the rack, the thumbscrew, the boot, and others of their amiable devices. For few men but would change their creed in a wink to get rid of this variety of torture.

Now here is the point in a nutshell: All forms of rheumatism and gout are caused by the poison known as uric acid; and uric acid is produced in the system and retained there by a torpid liver. Paste this fact upon the walls of your memory, where you can see it at a glance, as you are not likely to get hold of any more important information this year.

In other words, cure liver and kidney complaint and you cure rheumatism, gout, sciatica, and most other kinds of nerve pain. And the agent to do it with is Warner's Safe Cure. This shows why, as I said at the outset, Liverland is a bigger country than India.

"A DRESS REHEARSAL" TOMORROW NIGHT.

Tomorrow evening the long-anticipated production of "A Dress Rehearsal" will be given in Elite Hall, under the direction of E. D. Crandall and Robert Newell for the benefit of the Chancel Chapter of St. Paul's Church. The cast comprises Miss Pauline Fore, Mr. Newton Kiser, Miss Mary Williams, Miss Florence Sharon, Miss Mary Baker, Miss Carmen Moore, Miss Gretchen Bernett, Miss Caroline Little, Miss McCurrie, Miss Gertrude Gould and Miss Redfield.

Miss Ritter, Miss Howard, Miss Fore, Miss Olney, Miss Morrison, Miss Curnow, Miss Colt, Miss Bell, Miss Allen Miss Leimert, Miss Mehrkens, Miss Towle and Miss Maddern also take part. A male quartet will sing, and the Misses Hurt, Miss Elizabeth McNear and William Hopkins will also contribute to the program.

The ladies who have the affair in charge are Misses Mona and Laura Crellin, Miss Louise Simmons, Mrs. James Allen, Miss McElrath, Miss Staples, Mrs. V. Waldron, Mrs. Fred Merritt, Miss Gertrude Allen, Miss Elsie Gregory, Miss Jessie Glascock, Miss Lippert, Mrs. O. F. Long, Miss Florinne Brown, Miss Alma Brown, Mrs. Frank L. Brown, and Mrs. F. Allardt.

A Narrow Escape.

Thankful words written by Mrs. Ada E. Hart of Groton, S. D. "Was taken with a bad cold which settled on my lungs; cough set in and finally terminated in Consumption. Four doctors gave me up, saying I could live but a short time. I gave myself up to my Savior, determined if I could not stay with my friends on earth, I would meet my absent ones above. My husband was advised to get Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. I gave it a trial, took in all eight bottles. It has cured me, and thank God, I am saved and now a well and healthy woman." Trial bottles free at Osgood Bros' Drug Store, corner Seventh and Broadway. Regular size 50c and $1. Guaranteed or price refunded.

OAKLANDERS CHOSEN AS HIGH OFFICIALS.

At the grand lodge of United Workmen in San Francisco yesterday, Oakland was honored by the election of Charles E. Snook as Grand Foreman and Dr. James L. Mayon, as Grand Medical Examiner.

The Degree of Honor elected as Past Chief of Honor, Mrs. Evelyn F. Mayon; recorder, Mrs. Kate M. Poland, both of this city. Mrs. Mayon was elected a representative to the Superior Lodge.

How He Got His "Beat."

A group of newspaper men foregathered 'round the fire the coldest night this week, and, as usual, fell to talking shop. "They used to have some queer ideas of enterprise up in the Middle North," said an old-timer. "I'll give you an illustration. A young reporter named Jones on a big daily in —— (never mind where) was detailed to interview the Governor of another State who had slipped into the city on a secret political mission. When he got to his hotel he learned, to his disgust, that Jackson, the star reporter of a rival sheet, was onto the news and proposed to call in an hour. Acting on the inspiration, he sent up a card bearing Jackson's name; and was promptly admitted. When he had learned all he wanted he asked with gross and intentional impudence whether the information was really true. The Governor was noted for his irascibility. He turned purple. 'D'y question my word?' he said. 'Oh, don't get gay!' replied Jones, airily, common governors cut no ice with my office.' The old man foamed at the mouth. 'You insolent scoundrel!' he roared, get out of my rooms!' That was exactly what Jones wanted, and he went down stairs chuckling. Presently Jackson showed up. 'Here, boy,' he said, pompously, 'take my card to the Governor.' When the old man looked at the pasteboard he nearly expired. 'The blankety blanked infamous villain!' he spattered. 'I never heard of such blankety blanked effrontery in in my life. Tell that miscreant if he or anybody else from his infernal paper comes up here I'll kill 'em!' The word was carried to Jackson, who went away raving. Next day his paper called the Governor all the bad names in the dictionary, and intimated he was in town on a bender. Jones's paper had a capital interview and a big scoop. Those were frisky times, boys."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

STEAM REMAINS AS A MOTIVE POWER.

A story has been put in circulation to the effect that the local lines of the Southern Pacific road are soon to have electricity as a motive power instead of steam.

Another story is to the effect that liquified air is to be used as the propelling power.

This subject has arisen every year for half a dozen years back—in fact, ever since the Southern Pacific Company began to utilize electricity as a motive power on some of its street car lines in San Francisco.

Beyond the fact, however, that the scientific engineers of the company have figured upon the cost of dispensing with steam and substituting electricity, and that they are on the alert lest some agency more patent and less expensive even than steam should be rendered practical, nothing has been done by the company toward changing the present condition of affairs.

President Huntington, who is now in San Francisco, is authority for this statement. He does not say, however, that steam shall be retained indefinitely. That would be against the policy of the company, which aims to secure in every branch of its business the latest and most serviceable appliances which may be devised and perfected.

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Assault and Battery.

An anti-expansionist Senator was sitting in the cloakroom Friday and some of his old colleagues were talking about the war. "War?" inquired the anti-expansionist, "there has been no war. All that there has been is a plain case of assault and battery, and we got fined $20,000,000." And a good many of the expansion Senators agreed that this was a very good description of what had happened since last April.—Washington Star.

His Mean Way.

"Henry asked you if you had made that cake, did he? Well, what was there in that to wound your feelings, child?"

"It was the—the way he said it, mamma. He—he didn't ask m-me if I mdae it. He—he said, 'Darling, d-did you perpetrate this cake?'"—Chicago Tribune.

Columbus.

Teacher—Now, boys, who was Columbus?

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A new style packet containing TEN RIPANS TABULES in a paper carton (without glass) is now for sale at some drug stores—FOR FIVE CENTS. This low-priced sort is intended for the poor and the economical. One dozen of the five-cent cartons (120 tabules) can be had by mail by sending forty-eight cents to the RIPANS CHEMICAL COMPANY No. 10 Spruce Street, New York—or a single carton (TEN TABULES) will be sent for five cents.

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FRIDAY.....APRIL 7, 1899.

A shoe trust is announced. Can it "last"?

Director Merriam has ordered one of his chief deputies to take the census in Alaska and the Far North. That ought to be a (n)ice job.

Bryan's crown of thorns has been broken up and scattered along the road he is traveling, judging by the way things political have been going with him of late.

They had a fool social in Fresno on the 1st day of April, at which all who participated agreed to act the fool to the best of his or her ability, and the papers down that way are wondering why it was not a success. They have evidently forgotten that old adage that "It takes a wise man to be a fool."

There is more trouble on the Mosquito Coast, and those "biting" remarks by the officials engaged will not help matters out any. Secretary of State Hay is keeping a close watch on the interests we possess there, and that is assurance enough that we are not going to figure on the loser's end.

The individual who, when he orders stationery, is in the habit of laying in supplies enough for a year or two will do well to remember that with 1900 is ushered in a complete change as regards dating. "Nineteen hundred" flat, without any strings attached to it, will abbreviate things considerably for awhile.

The prompt and willing manner in which the corporations with which the city does business have come to the front and offered to co-operate in tiding over the financial crisis speaks well for their enterprise and good business sense. They will lose nothing in the long run by doing the right thing by the taxpayers of Oakland in an hour of need.

Brandes's attorney is returning thanks to the jury for the verdict returned in the case. It is easy to see, therefore, that he and his client figured that the scaffold was awaiting, and that they are pleased enough with the outcome. Under these conditions it is not very likely that they will be over-anxious to get a new trial that might result in the death penalty after all.

Things are looking brighter for Dreyfus. The developments in the Court of Cassation appear to show beyond doubt that Esterhazy and Paty du Clam deliberately forged the documents that resulted in the sending of Dreyfus to Devil's Island. The evidence should be put in such shape that it can be acted upon as quickly as possible, for justice demands that the unfortunate prisoner be liberated at once if the charges against him prove false, as is now indicated.

SUPPRESS THE SURE-THING GAMES!

The new administration is making the right kind of move in its crusade against the sure-thing games that have been openly plying in town.

Cheap vices such as keno, craps, and dice-shaking do even more damage than the more extravagant games of the professional gamblers, for they are dragnets for the dimes and quarters of those who can ill afford to spare even such minor coins, and are the first steps by which many a young man is started on the road to ruin.

The huge percentages exacted from the players and the unfair methods adopted in conducting the sport in one sense remove the games from the list of those known as "of chance"—there is no speculation about them at all, for their promoters get all the money in time.

Close them down! The community will be far better off without them, and deprived of the opportunity to fleece their victims, the sharks will either have to go elsewhere or else turn to and make an honest living

TESTING THE PRIMARY LAW.

A lack of knowledge of the conditions and requirements under which the new Stratton primary law was passed is what is causing the senseless attacks that are being made upon it, because of the developments at the Stockton municipal election this week. One of the principal grievances aired is that it was impossible to tell whether Democrats were voting for Republicans or vice versa, and hence that one of the chief objects of holding a primary was completely nullified.

The facts in the case are as follows: In the decision whereby the primary law passed at the session of 1897 was declared unconstitutional, the Supreme Court laid down the doctrine that a primary election must be conducted the same as a general election and that no challenge for political convictions could be made or any other tests imposed than those regulating ordinary elections. It was absolutely impossible, therefore, to go beyond these boundaries in framing the law that is now upon the statute books, and in consequence the primary act as it stands today is the best possible that could be obtained under the present constitution.

Realizing, however, that it was desirable to arrange some method whereby the desired tests could be made, Senator Stratton introduced a constitutional amendment covering the point, and as it passed both branches of the Legislature, it will be submitted to the people at the next election. It provides that the Legislature has the right to either frame laws imposing the test or else leave the matter to the party committees, and in view of the fact that primary legislation is only absolutely necessary in settled communities, it is decreed that such laws shall be applicable to cities and cities and counties, but optional in all other places. This meets the objections of the residents of the interior, and will therefore counteract the opposition vote that might otherwise have been cast against the amendment in the agricultural sections.

Senator Stratton, the author of the new primary law, says that the many advices he has received from Stockton since the election, are all to the effect that good results were obtained, and it is significant that it brought out the largest vote ever polled at a municipal election there. The sole attempt at ballot stuffing was quickly detected and the knowledge that for the first time in local political history violation of the primary law meant felony, kept all the thugs and plugugglies on their good behavior. It is probable that a test of the new law will be made in connection with the Stockton elections, for all interested are anxious to have the matter finally passed upon. The complexion of the Supreme Bench has taken the place of Van Fleet, and primary decision, for Justice Van Dyke has taken the place of Van Fleet and he is understood to be an ardent advocate of primary reform. It will be a good thing to know just how we stand, anyhow, for there are some important elections to be held soon and the question of whether or not the new primary law will control them is all-essential.

"Major James Gillis has been elected State Librarian to succeed Frank Coombs, who resigned to become United States District Attorney," says the Napa Daily Journal. That's a good one. Just fancy Major Gillis holding down that office, especially when it is remembered that he once testified before a legislative committee that was investigating some bribery charges that "he never kept any books." The editor of the Napa paper must have been imbibing to freely at the Soda Springs they have up there, or else he would not have got the titles of the Gillis family in such a mixed up condition.

The new bankruptcy law is furnishing an easy road out of their difficulties for all sorts of people, but who ever thought when it was enacted that it would be taken advantage of by the churches. One of the large congregations in New York has just succeeded, however, in making the trip, and as in accordance with the decree its creditors will only receive 14 cents on the dollar, there is additional work for the pastor in saving from perdition those who are engaged in using somewhat blasphemous expressions regarding the operations of this sacred establishment.

As far as the average individual is concerned, the war stamp tax is more of a nuisance than an expense, so he should be inclined to regard the proposition kindly, in view of some statistics just issued by the Internal Revenue Bureau. They show up to February 1st the total yield of the war stamps was $20,384,440, the entire collections under the war tax law up to that time being $62,012,191. That means a well-filled treasury, without very much hardship in getting the money there.

The California boys in the Philippines have had another opportunity to prove the sort of stuff they are made of. They have been chafing of late because of all the glory they are missing at the front through having been sent to the apparently peaceable island of Negros, but now that they have got a little rebellion of their own to attend to it is needless to say that they are happy. One sure thing can be said about them—they are proving equal to every emergency they are called upon to face.

It is scarcely the proper thing to rejoice over the misfortunes of others, but the California fruit men can scarcely be blamed for feeling gleeful over the announcement that with the exception of this State and one or two patches in the New England section the entire fruit crop of the country is ruined. In view of the bounteous harvests that are assured here since the rains came, gold bricks made of the genuine material ought to be plentiful among the grangers a few months from now.

They are using petroleum to cleanse the bituminized streets with down in Fort Worth, Texas. That's strange. It was only the other day that the contractors in San Francisco were giving as an excuse for the breaking up of certain parts of the recently paved Market street that some miscreants had been deliberately pouring oil on the places in question and that it had ruined the roadway. "What is sauce for the goose" is evidently not always "sauce for the gander."

Jerry Simpson is hungering for the sweets of office again, and announces that he will be a candidate for Governor of Kansas next year. What is the matter with his running for Vice-President with Bryan? He might as well get a good licking while he is about it.

SPECIAL MEETING OF BOARD OF WORKS.

A special meeting of the Board of Public Works was held yesterday for the purpose of passing a few bills of the Street Department and other matters of importance.

A resolution was passed recommending to the Council that the man engaged in sweeping the crosswalks on Broadway and Washington streets be retained, as it was considered this work was necessary.

It was also recommended that the services of the engineer of the steam roller be not dispensed with entirely, but that his salary be cut in accordance with the provisions of the pending ordinance. It was stated that it would be necessary to use the roller on some street work which is now under way. The ordinance cuts his wages to $65 a month.

The flag on the City Hall was ordered placed at half-mast in accordance with President McKinley's proclamation in honor of the soldiers who died during the Porto Rican campaign and whose remains were interred in the East yesterday.

Street Superintendent Miller said that, on the grounds of economy, he had called in many of the street sprinklers, keeping only such as were needed on the principal streets. He said that the expenses of street sprinkling were $300 a day when all the carts were put on, also that the macadamized streets would soon begin to break up and it would be necessary to sprinkle them more frequently.

Mayor Snow was authorized to investigate and report upon the advisability of selling the city's lot on Twenty-fifth street near Broadway, which was bought for fire house purposes in 1891 at a cost of $2,200. It is thought this lot can be sold to a good advantage at this time. The receipts of this sale would help materially to decrease the deficit in the city's finances.

WANTS WATER FROM THE BLUE LAKES.

Councilman Cuvellier says that at the next meeting of the Council, Monday night, he will ask permission to devise a plan whereby the Blue Lakes Water Company may pipe its water to the boundary line of this city with a view to having the water distributed through this city by a plant which shall be owned by the municipality.

"I have," he says, "casually looked into the plan myself. The Blue Lakes Water Company is now supplying water and water power all through the mountain regions and they are reaching out into the valleys. They have abundant supplies of the purest water—a vast amount more than they can use—and they have long had a plan for piping water all through this section of California and selling it in bulk to cities, the company to supply the water and the cities to distribute it. I believe that they would make a very liberal contract with the city of Oakland if we were to be the first to enable them to bring their water to this neighborhood. With Oakland taking water from them they could increase their profits by selling to other cities.

NEW GOVERNOR FOR SOLDIER'S HOME.

General Oscar H. La Grange, a veteran of the civil war and Superintendent of the branch mint in San Francisco under General Grant's administration, has been appointed Governor of the Soldiers' Home at Santa Monica to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Governor Smith. Mr. La Grange is well known in this city, where he lived for a number of years.

A Friendly Contest.

A "set-to-contest" social and entertainment will be given at the home of Mrs. J. C. Walling, 913 Twenty-eighth street, tonight, for the benefit of the ladies' pledge.

After the entertainment refreshments wil be served. Every one is invited. Admission 25 cents.

After Dinner

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily, to prevent constipation, take

Hood's Pills

Sold everywhere. 25 cents.

Come to our Concert To-morrow Night.

KAHN BROS.

An excellent Musical Program To-morrow Night.

The Golden Carnival

will take much of your time from May 6th to 13th at the Exposition building. But then, that's another story. Your wish now will be to attend the

Grand Carnival for Bargain Hunters

to take place particularly on

.....SATURDAY AND MONDAY.

SAILOR HATS

"The Fair," latest fad, fine white crown, fancy mixed brim. Milliners' price, dollar twenty-five Saturday and Monday.....72c

FANCY GOODS DEPARTMENT

Notice the big show case in front part of the store. Cyrano Chains, Necklaces and Charms in great variety.

Enamelled Belt Buckles—We have the assortment, and if our prices on them are not one third less than asked elsewhere, buy them of the other fellow.

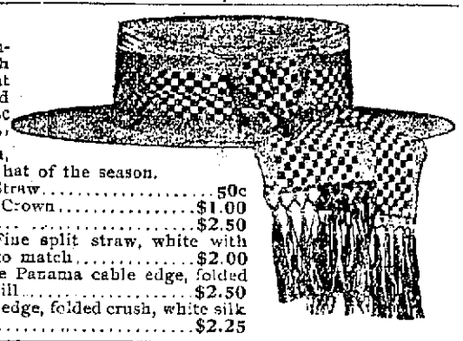
Combs—Shell goods with and without Rhinestone finish, newest shapes—lowest prices.

DOMESTIC DEPARTMENT

Four useful, seasonable specials.

German Huck Towel, 18x34 in., the best twenty cent towel offered—many houses ask a quarter. Saturday and Monday 12½c

TRIMMED SAILOR



Honolulu Braid (entirely new) fringed sash finish—they're right at a dollar. Saturday and Monday.....48c

"The California" Sailor, narrow brim, medium crown — the hat of the season.

Rough and Ready Straw.....50c
Mixed Brim, White Crown.....$1.00
Fine Split Braid.....$2.50
"The Newport"—Fine split straw, white with colored facing, band to match.....$2.00
"The Savoy"—Fine Panama cable edge, folded plaid silk band and quill.....$2.50
Fine Panama, cable edge, folded crush, white silk band.....$2.25

SCOTCH FLANNEL

Summer weight, dainty patterns, for waists or negligee shirts, all over value twenty-five cts. Saturday and Monday..16½c

Sidney Sateen—Soft twilled goods, 34 inch width, matchable only at twenty-five cts.—in strips only and on that account. Saturday and Monday.....13c

Cheviot Shirting—32 inch width, stripes and broken checks. All over price fifteen cents. Saturday and Monday 11c

Percale—This season's patterns, 36 inch wide, ten cent brands. Saturday and Monday.....7½c

TAILOR MADE SUITS

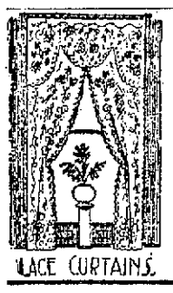
Scotch cheviot, tailor-made, best linings, well made, tight-fitting..... $12.00
All last seasons $10 to $15 suits, $5.
All last seasons $16.50 to $25 suits, $10.00
Styles and sleeves are right.

HOSIERY SPECIAL

Child's Fast Black Hose,

Double Knee, Double Heel, Double Sole } usual twenty cents.

Saturday and Monday.....12½c



DRAPERY DEPARTMENT

Dotted Swiss for sash or chamber curtains, 36-in. wide—the fifteen cent kind. Saturday and Monday.....9c

Dotted Swiss for sash or chamber curtains, width 40 inches—we quote right price at twenty cents. Saturday and Monday.....13½c

Art Denim—width 36 inches, pattern on both sides, considered very cheap at fifteen cents. Saturday and Monday.....12½c

Swiss Curtains—ruffle edge, tambour effect, regular width and length, exceptional value at one-fifty. Saturday and Monday.....$1.29

TRIMMED HATS

We are showing the best assortment of goods ever displayed in this city. Correct styles with the right prices.

WOOL SKIRTS.

Some as low as....$1.00
All wool black serge..$3.50
Same with 5 rows braid $5.00
Same with large flounce and hercules braid..$6.50

SILK SKIRTS

Black taffeta trimmed with chenille bow-knot; good taffeta, equal to any $15.00 kind, yet our price is only $10
It'll be a treat to see the skirts we have at $12, $15, $20, $25

ELASTIC BELTS

While other houses were buying a few sample belts for trial we plunged, with our usual success.

Black Elastic Beaded Belts, with buckles, as low as..50c, up to $3.50
Steel Elastic Beaded Belts, with buckles.....$1.00 to 3.00
White Elastic Beaded Belts, with Buckles.....$1.00 to 3.00
Ribbon Belts with enamelled buckles in great variety.

BEDSPREADS

Fancy colorings, Marseilles effect, fast colors, full size, exceptional value at one-fifty. Saturday and Monday.....$1.19

COMFORTABLES

Silkaline both sides, white filling, full size—equals any one-seventy-five kind shown. Saturday and Monday $1.19

CORSET SPECIAL

A Dollar Kid-Fitting Corset, Black Only,

Saturday and Monday, 69c.

LEATHER BELT DEPARTMENT

Full lines of all grades, but feel there are too many

Any Leather Belt marked 25c, Saturday and Monday.....15c
Any Leather Belt marked 35c, Saturday and Monday.....23c
Any Leather Belt marked 50c, Saturday and Monday.....38c
Any Leather Belt marked 75c, Saturday and Monday.....48c
Any Leather Belt marked $1.00, Saturday and Monday.....72c
Any Leather Belt marked $1.50, Saturday and Monday.....98c

LADIES' UNDERWEAR DEPARTMENT

Two specials in Petticoats

Mercerised Sateen Skirts, in appearance like silk, durable, fast colors, in red, salmon, blue, green, black and lavender, cheap at three dollars, Saturday and Monday.....$2.37

Black Metallic Skirts—pretty designs—blue and white, gold and green effect, deep flounce of three corded ruffles—best dollar-fifty ever offered. Saturday and Monday.$1.19

JACKETS

Of the newest Spring Coverts, good quality. Silk lined all way through.... .....$5.00

SILK WAISTS

Exclusive styles—very popular make—any color—one particularly is of taffetta, trimmed with white silk braid—its price is to your liking $6.50

THIS HIGH CARNIVAL

for those desirous of obtaining the best for the very least money should fill our stores during this and next week. Every day there'll be new attractions—new seasonable bargains from which to make your selections.

Excellent Program arranged for Saturday Night's Concert.

KAHN BROS.

"The Always Busy Store."

N. E. Cor. Twelfth and Washington Sts., Oakland

IN CHARGE OF THE SICK AND WOUNDED.

The big transport steamer Arizona arrived in San Francisco yesterday with four officers and 136 privates who had been at the Philippines and who returned because of sickness, wounds or expiration of service. The sick were in charge of First Lieutenant and Acting Assistant Surgeon Clarence Quinan, a young contract doctor, whose service is now completed. He left here last July in the transport Peru, and since that time has been employed principally at the front. He is a nephew of Captain Quinan of Berkeley, superintendent of the powder works at Pinole.

M'Kinley's Regrets.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LONDON, April 7.—The Berlin correspondent of the Times explains that "The German Government never regarded President McKinley's statement as more than a courteous expression of regret at the turn events had taken in Samoa," and adds that nothing is known in official quarters in Berlin regarding rumors that Herr Rose, German Consul at Apia, has received instructions to demand compensation for losses suffered by Germans during the bombardment.

Hospital Cases.

Louis Erickson, a carpenter residing at 854 Harrison street, was treated at the Receiving Hospital by Steward Borchert for a wound on his hand, caused by cutting it with a chisel.

P. N. Phelander, a teamster residing at 1158 Railroad avenue, was treated for a lacerated finger.

C. L. A. S. Easter Party.

The Catholic Ladies' Aid Society will hold its annual Easter party on Monday evening, April 10, 1899, at Pythian Hall, corner Twelfth and Franklin.

DESTITUTION IN PORTO RICO.

People Dying Off Like Stricken Sheep of Starvation.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The Herald says:

Brigadier-General Roy Stone will go to Washington tomorrow, where he will call the attention of the President to the starvation and distress in Porto Rico. He thinks that the desperate state of the people may lead to insurrection if relief is not forthcoming. He has just returned from a journey of ten days through the interior of the island. The General was attached to the Department of Agriculture before the war, and during hostilities he was in Porto Rico as a member of General Miles' staff. This last trip was made with a party of capitalists and railroad men. He was also invited by Major-General Henry to give advice concerning the construction of roads through the islands.

"People are dying from starvation all through the interior," said General Stone, when I saw him last evening in the Albemarle Hotel. "In the district of Aguas Banas there were many deaths. The judge in the district of Comerio showed me a book in which he had recorded the names of many who died from lack of food. General Grant reported thirty-nine deaths from starvation in one district. I saw hundreds of natives emaciated and weak. When I left Porto Rico there were 100,000 persons there who had neither bread nor meat for two weeks.

"This state of affairs is largely due to the short coffee crop and the ruinous competition of Brazil. Porto Rican coffee is selling at from 7 to 8 cents at the seaports, and the transportation takes nearly all of this sum. There is no profit for the owner of the plantation. Indeed, I saw many plantations overgrown with weeds. The natives cannot get money to buy the necessaries of life. Major-General Henry is issuing rations and is doing everything in his power to alleviate the distress.

"It is difficult, however, to reach the interior. The supplies are sent to military posts and distributed as well as possible. Still Major-General Henry cannot go on in this way. His money, derived from customs will give out soon. He cannot make this people an object of charity. He has found work for at least 5,000 men on the road building. With good roads and a means of getting out of the interior with fruits and vegetables, something can be done to develop the island.

"Another element contributing to the distress of the Porto Ricans is the fact that the United States continues to levy duty upon them. They had free trade with Spain. The commercial relations with Spain are now cut off by the duties which Spain has levied since the war. Porto Rico formerly sent large quantities of tobacco to Cuba. Now there is a duty of ten per cent. There was no duty under Spanish rule.

"Yet, with all their sufferings the Porto Ricans speak with pride as belonging to the United States. They do not expect Porto Rico to become a State.

"Porto Rico is the home of the orange, yet oranges are rotting on the trees. They are sold at 50 cents a barrel. I bought them five for a cent. They are as good as the Indian river oranges.

"One of the objects of my visit was to make arrangements for the establishment of an experimental station under the Department of Agriculture. I have found a place which I think will be suitable for the raising of winter vegetables."

"BROWNIES" AT THE MACDONOUGH.

The amusement lovers of Oakland will be given a unique and picturesque entertainment tonight, when Palmer Cox's delightful "Brownies" will hold the boards at the Macdonough. Careful preparation has been made for the production, and if skillful coaching and painstaking rehearsals count for anything, the audience is not likely to go away disappointed. There will be more than a hundred Oakland children on the stage, and the little ones can be depended upon to put snap and ginger enough into their roles to more than compensate for any technical shortcomings. The costumes have been selected with great care, and the scenery is elaborate and picturesque. D. M. Lawrence will direct the music, and that he will do it efficiently goes without saying.

Heirs Ask a Distribution.

The heirs of Margaret P. McCourtney, deceased, have petitioned the Superior Court for a partial distribution of the estate, which is valued at about $65,000. The heirs are George, Anna, Irene and Mary Lillian McCourtney, Blanche E. Belden, Marguerite A. Belden and Percival A. Hughes.

Suit to Quiet Title.

The Oakland Building and Loan Association has brought suit against George W. Hagan, and others to quiet title to a lot on Prospect street and Santa Clara avenue, Alameda.

Cutlery Day.

Very large assortment of table knives, forks, carving sets, butcher knives, teaspoons, tablespoons, quality A1, at prices that will open your eyes.

Some articles cut 60 per cent.

Some articles cut 50 per cent.

ODDS AND ENDS, HALF PRICE.

Great American Importing Tea Co.

1053 WASHINGTON ST., Oakland
1257 BROADWAY, "
1519 SEVENTH ST., "
616 E. TWELFTH ST., "
1017 TWENTY-THIRD AVE., "
1255 PARK ST., Alameda

THEY DESIRE ANNEXATION.

The Jamaicans Want to Join Uncle Sam's Family.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 7.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: State Department officials are watching with great interest the growing sentiment among the inhabitants in Jamaica in favor of the annexation of the Leeward Islands to the United States.

Thus far the matter has not been brought to their attention in any official way, but it is not doubted that the American Consuls in these islands will, if the agitation continues, find it incumbent upon them to make special confidential reports on the subject.

The officials of the department consider the subject a rather delicate one, but they have been reading with keen interest all that has been said in the Herald concerning the proposition for the exchange of the Philippines for the Leeward Islands.

While consenting to be quoted on the subject, they do not hesitate to say that the United States would doubtless be glad to make the exchange if Great Britain would be willing to undertake negotiations. They do not consider, however, that the administration could properly initiate the matter at this time. A petition from the people of the islands, formally presented to the British government will, in their opinion, be the first legitimate move in the direction of official negotiations.

The general belief among public men here is that it is mainly a question as to whether Great Britain would be willing to relinquish sovereignty over the Leeward Islands in return for the Philippines. As far as the United States is concerned, it is thought that public sentiment here would be entirely favorable to the trade.

On this point former Senator Faulkner, a member of the Canadian Commission, said today that he doubted very much whether Great Britain would care to run counter to the opinion which will undoubtedly develop from other European countries against her acquirement of the Eastern archipelago and the consequent prestige she would gain in the Orient.

"Of course the United States would be more than willing to make the exchange," said Mr. Faulkner. "We do not want to keep the Philippines. We would like the British West Indies. They would be of immense value to us without the grave responsibilities that surround the holding of the Philippines. The Philippines, on the other hand, would be far more valuable to Great Britain than the Leeward Islands. They would give her an immense advantage from a military as well as a commercial standpoint over other European nations in the Far East. Yet I doubt if she could make the trade without running the risk of serious European complications. Great Britain is not the nation to take the initiative which would bring about such a result."

WHOLE FAMILY WEAK MINDED.

Henry Collins, aged 36 years, was committed to Stockton Insane Asylum by Judge Greene yesterday.

This is the last chapter in the history of a family which has been noted for hereditary imbeciles. A few years ago his father and mother resided on Eighth street and had property valued at about $20,000. The husband was feeble minded. When he died Mrs. Mary Collins took charge of the property. It was soon shown that she, too, was incompetent, for she deeded away large tracts of land for almost nothing. Last year she died leaving the residue of the property to a son and daughter, Henry Collins and Mary O'Rourke.

Mrs. O'Rourke was also feeble minded, and her aunt, Mrs. Ellen Whalen, was appointed her guardian to look after her property.

When Henry Collins was committed yesterday it was found that he had no property. He had been living in a shack on Eighth street in the utmost squalor.

W. B. White, attorney for Mrs. Whalen, will make an attempt to recover some of the property deeded away by the mother while she was incompetent.

SAYS PROPERTY IS OWNED BY SISTERS.

William A. Pryal has filed an answer to the suit of his brothers, James and Charles Pryal, to secure a distribution of their mother's estate.

In their complaint the brothers allege that the older brother secured control of the estate by undue influence, and has been holding the property for himself, instead of for all the brothers and sisters.

In his answer William Pryal states that he is not holding the property for himself, but for his three sisters, Ella G. Pryal, Mollie W. Pryal and Elizabeth Pryal. He claims that it was for this purpose that the property was put into his hands. He states that he is "at all times ready and willing when called upon by the defendants—Mollie W. Pryal, Ella G. Pryal and Elizabeth R. Pryal—to make and execute to them a deed of their proportionate shares of said real property."

The sisters were named as defendants in the suit because they refused to unite with their brothers in the complaint. The estate is valued at about $12,000.

PEARL LUND WILL DANCE IN PARIS.

Miss Pearl Lund, the clever little dancing artist, has returned from a tour of fifty-eight weeks in Eastern cities. The parents of the child have signed a contract with Frohman, who will take the prodigy to Paris. The child is the daughter of Professor Lund of this city.

Estate of Peder Stone.

James E. White has petitioned the Superior Court for letters of administration on the estate of Peder M. Stone, deceased. The estate consists of a contract to purchase two lots in East Oakland.

PREPARING FOR EMERGENCIES.

Our Coaling Stations Stud the West Indies.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 7.—A special to the Herald from Washington says: At the suggestion of Rear Admiral Bradford, Chief of the Bureau of Equipment, a comprehensive scheme has been adopted by the Navy Department under which coaling stations will be placed at strategic points in the West Indies so as to give the United States control of the Virgin, Mona and Windward passages and the approaches to the Gulf of Mexico. It is proposed to establish coaling stations at Culebra Island, lying between Porto Rico and the Virgin Islands; at Mayaguez, which lies on the western shore of Porto Rico and controls the Mona Passage, and at Guantanamo, on the southern side of Cuba, or at Nipe bay, on the northern coast, either of which controls the windward passage. Coal sheds and piers are already in the course of construction at Dry Tortugas, which will enable a fleet operating from that point to prevent an enemy from entering either through the Yucatan or Bahama channels.

Rear Admiral Bradford has just returned from Dry Tortugas and Key West, where he inspected the work of construction which is being done under the supervision of Rear Admiral Endicott. Coal sheds and piers are being erected, capable of accommodating 20,000 tons, and a channel is being dredged around Fort Jefferson thirty feet deep and three hundred feet wide so that the deepest draught battleship of the American navy can go to that point and coal.

The coast survey is making surveys to Culebra Island and Porto Rico, and the Eagle and Yankton are doing similar work in Cuba. The naval vessels are especially surveying Guantanamo and Nipe bay, and at the point best suited for the purpose a coaling station will be established.

The Navy Department has sent instructions to Rear Admiral Cromwell, commandant of the naval station at Havana, to place a railroad around the lot in which the bodies of the men killed in the Maine disaster are buried. Marble slabs are to be placed over the graves. The President has allotted $1,000 for this work. Orders have been issued to the cruiser Montgomery directing her to proceed to the Southern Atlantic after she falls in with the North Atlantic squadron and exchange several officers and men with vessels of Rear Admiral Sampson's command.

It is also proposed to add another small gunboat to the squadron, so that under the present arrangements Rear Admiral Howison will probably have attached to his force the protected cruiser Chicago, which will be the flagship, the cruiser Montgomery, the gunboat Wilmington and probably the gunboat Marietta. The Marietta is now at Guanta, Venezuela, and from that point will proceed to Port of Spain, where she will await further orders.

MRS. MARTIN LEFT MUCH FOR CHARITY.

A final account and petition for final distribution of the estate of the late Mrs. Maria Martin has been filed. By the terms of the will the estate, valued at $117,224.96, is to be distributed among a large number of relatives, most of whom reside in England and Scotland. About $8,000 is bequeathed to charitable institutions. The residue, after all bequests have been paid, is to be divided among the San Francisco Children's Hospital, Fabiola Hospital and the Ladies' Relief Society of this city and any legal heirs that may be accepted by the courts. It is provided that if the residue exceeded $12,000 that $2,000 shall be given to each of the institutions before named.

The report shows that the residue does exceed this amount. The First Unitarian Church of this city will also get $2,000. The executors are Robert Henderson Peat and Mrs. Mary Paxton Herrick Ross.

STREET CAR COMBINE

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, April 7.—The Chronicle says that a syndicate with $200,000,000 backing, composed of New York, Philadelphia and Chicago men, identified with men of metropolitan reputation of New York, Philadelphia and other cities, has been formed and is negotiating for the purchase and consolidation of all the Chicago traction companies, surface and elevated, with good prospects of successful conclusion.

Stallion Race Arranged.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

DUBUQUE, Iowa, April 7.—George West has accepted Andrew McDowell's challenge to race Oakland against any stallion except Directum Kelly for $5,000 and has selected Tommy Britton. The race will be run at the Dubuque fall meeting.

"WEANED THE BABY"

A Convenient and Strengthening Food Drink.

My husband has for years been accustomed to use two cups of coffee for breakfast, and complained invariably of headache if he didn't get them just to his taste, but gradually he has had coming on him a severe heart trouble and a spasmodic palpitating condition of the nerves, which weakened and made him ill.

For the past month I have made Postum Food Coffee for him in place of coffee, and not once since he began its use has he had any of the distressing symptoms. Our little daughter about two years old takes Postum with eagerness and thrives upon it.

We like it better than ordinary coffee. My husband and I both consider it the most delightful and wholesome beverage for breakfast we have ever tried. New users should be sure and boil it long enough to bring out the taste. When I weaned my baby I fed her on nothing but Postum for a long time, and she is as fat as she can be.—Mrs. M. E. Allen, 21 Aldie St., Allston, Mass.

1879—1899—1919

If you compare your calendar of 1899 with that of 1879 you will see that they correspond exactly with each other in all their indications, the same days for the same feasts.

This evolution takes place every twenty years. Keep this year's

Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey

calendar and it will serve you in 1919.

The return of each season brings its own particular complements of pleasures and pains. When certain months approach we know that sanitary precautions are necessary to avoid epidemics and contagions.

The science of medicine has never produced a more specific cure for influenza than Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, stamped with the Government's approval and endorsed by the profession.

DEWEY WILL SOON RETURN.

Work of the Navy in the Philippines Is Over.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

CHICAGO, April 7.—A Washington special to the Tribune says: Within a few months Admiral Dewey will be back on American soil if all goes well, and will then be given the welcome he earned nearly a year ago in Manila bay. He will not be recalled, as such action might be construed as a mark of dissatisfaction with his recent actions and might encourage the Filipinos.

An intimation has been conveyed to him, quite unofficially, of course, that the work of the navy in the Philippines is over, so far as fleet movements are concerned, and the minute he asks for shore duty the request will be granted.

It is understood Admiral Dewey is ready to come home, so far as naval duties are concerned, but he prefers to finish the work of the Philippines Commission and come home with Chairman Schurman and ex-Minister Denby.

Within a short time the rainy season will prevent active military operations, so that the commission will settle down to a consideration of the civil administrative features of the problem. It is believed that the commission will be ready to sail possibly by July 1 and certainly before September 1.

ROLLER BOAT A FAILURE.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LIVERPOOL, April 7.—The French roller boat Ernest Bazin was offered at auction here, but there were no bids for her. The Ernest Bazin was launched in 1896, at St. Denis, France, in the presence of many foreign engineers. She was designed by Ernest Bazin, a well known engineer. In brief, she is a large rectangular iron-bound box, mounted on six lenticular disks or rollers sunk in the water about 3.33 metres. In the sides of the box is the machinery of seventy-five horse power. This set in motion a propeller and the rollers, and the idea was that the Ernest Bazin would roll over the water instead of cutting through it, and attain a speed which would enable a large steamer built on this model to make the voyage from Havre to New York in four days.

CARRIE FROSS-SNYDER'S RECITAL THIS EVENING.

Mrs. Carrie Fross-Snyder has consented to repeat this evening, at the First Baptist Church, a selection which she read a year ago, and which, so far as known, has never been rendered by any other reader. Critics had always considered Mrs. Snyder at her best in pathetic or humorous selections, or the rendering of those dainty bits of verse for which her finesse and delicacy of expression fit her so well, and were hardly prepared for the intensity of feeling and force of expression shown in "Salem Town." All who heard her united in pronouncing it the best work the reader had ever done. The complete program for the recital is as follows:

Overture, "La Dame Blanche"....Boildieu
Orchestra.
"An Announcement Dinner" .....
..... Juliet Wilber Tompkins
Mrs. Carrie Fross-Snyder.
(a) "Winds in the Trees"..Goring Thomas
(b) "Irish Folk Song".....Arthur Foote
(c) "I Cannot Help Loving Thee".....
..... Clayton Johns
Miss Margaret Gray.
(a) "Austrian Hymn" ..... Haydn
(b) "Dance of the Mermaids".....Lumbye
Orchestra.
"In Salem Town"..Eleanor Duncan Woods
(By request.)
Mrs. Carrie Fross-Snyder.
Selections from "The Serenade".....
.... Victor Herbert
Orchestra.
(By request.)
(a) "At Candle Lightin' Time".....
.....Paul Laurence Dunbar
(Incidental music, "Pickaniny Mine, Good Night" ..... Trotere)
(b) "The Limitations of Youth".....
..... Eugene Field
(c) "The Dream Ship".....Eugene Field
(Incidental Music, Entre Act, "Rosamonde" ..... Schubert)
Mrs. Carrie Fross-Snyder.
"Dost Thou Know That Sweet Land"
(Mignon) ..... Thomas
Miss Margaret Gray.
(Violin obligato by Miss May Walker.)
"Love Me, Love My Dog".....
..... Richard Harding Davis
Mrs. Carrie Fross-Snyder.
"Arion Carnival March".....C. Faust
Orchestra.

Licensed to Marry.

John Thomas Pettit, Los Angeles....29
Rose Walbridge, Los Angeles.....30
Joseph Joseph, Oakland 25
Evelyn Hodge, Oakland.....22
George Gustavus Peterson, Oakland.24
Jessie Estelle Lucas, Oakland.....20
Albert Nye Goddard, Olive Springs..60
Catherine Donohue, Oakland 40
John Pereira Miguel, San Francisco.25
Annie Dutra, Centerville 18

Petition for Letters.

Mary A. Richmond has applied for letters of administration on the estate of Willard P. Richmond, deceased. The estate is valued at about $1,000.

SUGAR PLANTERS ASKING RELIEF.

An Extension of Credits Only Can Save Their Plantations.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 7.—A special to the Tribune from Washington says: Creditors and debtors in Cuba are both appealing to the Washington authorities for relief. The creditors are afraid that Governor General Brooke will issue an order carrying out the plan of the Sugar Planters Association. This provides in substance for an extension of credits through a period of six or seven years. It is admitted on all hands that the land owners in Cuba cannot pay their debts now, and if foreclosure of mortgages were permitted it would bankrupt three-fourths of the planters and many smaller property owners.

Weyler issued a decree extending the time in which debts on city and country property could be collected. Blanco extended the decree for another year. General Brooke has extended it as a temporary measure until May 1st, pending a permanent plan. That is what alarms the Spaniards who have money loaned on plantations and other property. They fear that the new decree will bankrupt them. The arguments they have forwarded to Washington are that the propositions of the Sugar Planters' Association amount to a confiscation of their creditor's money. They argue against a sweeping decree of any kind by the military authorities, on the ground that it is a revolution in the Spanish code of civil law and that it completely upsets the law of hypothecation for the benefit of a class. The Spanish laws are, as a rule, lenient to debtors. Much difference of opinion exists among the officials in Cuba regarding the provision which should be adopted.

Senor Desvernine, General Brooke's Secretary of the Treasury, is expected in Washington this week to confer with the President and the other officials of the administration. He is a lawyer and especially familiar with the law of mortgages. It is admitted that something will have to be done for the sugar planters, but whether the existing laws will be modified to the extent which they ask is doubtful. They complain that a mere extension of time in which the mortgages can be collected, though it may be for a full year, will be of no real benefit to them.

In order to reconstruct the sugar industry they must know where they stand. Their representatives say that if the plan which the sugar planters have proposed is adopted they will be able to secure loans for next year, and in the fall begin planting cane on many of the plantations which have not been worked for the last four years. This season little cane has been planted, because the planters could not get the means. It is therefore probable that next year's sugar crop will not materially exceed the present one.

If the planters can secure a definite status they are all confident they can get the means to plant next fall, and that will mean, fifteen or eighteen months thereafter, something like a normal sugar crop in Cuba. But they want five or six years in which to pay their existing debts. The interest charges on most of the sugar plantation loans are heavy, ranging from 10 to 18 per cent. In the last few months some of the planters have succeeded in refunding their loans and securing American capital at reduced rates, but these cases have been the exceptions. Most of the mortgages are held by Spanish capitalists. Secretary Alger is said to disapprove the plan which has been formulated by General Brooke's Cabinet, and that is one of the reasons why Senor Desvernine is coming to Washington. Secretary Alger's experience with the agreement by which the Spanish Bank of Cuba was to be permitted to collect the taxes is said to have made him cautious regarding fiscal affairs in the island. In that instance, however, the American military authorities were opposed to making the bank the tax collecting agent, while in the present case they favor some more general measure than a mere extension of the time in which debts can be collected.

RELIANCE CLUB BOXING NIGHT.

Much interest is being taken in the program arranged by Superintendent George Gross for the Reliance Club "gentlemen's night" which is to be given next Tuesday evening. The indications are that the entertainment will be productive of much good sport. There will be two try-outs, a four round sparring exhibition and two eight round boxing contests for decisions.

The try-outs will be between Jack Kennan of the U. S. S. Iowa and Al Cohn of San Francisco, at 110 pounds; Henry Martin and Dick McDonald, at 145 pounds, and a four round exhibition between Chappie Porteous and his clever pupil, jockey Eddie Jones.

The eight round goes will be between Jack McMahon and William Ensbury at 125 pounds, and Harry Pigeon and Mose La Fontise at 142 pounds. McMahon and Ensbury have fought a draw and each has been eager to get another try at his late opponent.

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Before the National Reform Association, recently in session in this city, adjourned it adopted resolutions aimed at what its members consider the crying evils of the age. The resolutions demand the enactment of Sunday laws, the abolition of all liquor license laws and the enactment of a uniform divorce law. The reformers declare that no divorce should be granted except for the Scriptural reason, and demand national legislation to that effect.

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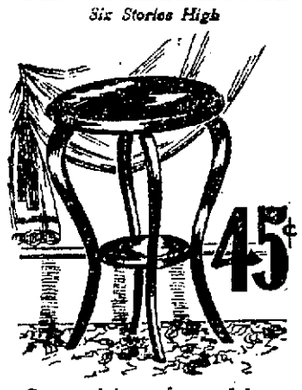

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Busy at her work all day,
Never asks a cent of pay,
Thinks it ought to be that way,
Thanks the Lord for Susan!

Singin' when she wants to sing
Like the robins in the spring,
Scoldin' some, like everything,
Thanks the Lord for Susan!

Always ready, day or night,
Always willin'—she's a sight,
When it comes to doin' right,
Thanks the Lord for Susan!

Me an' seven children's what
She looks after, well or not,
And she's "mother" to the lot.
Thanks the Lord for Susan!

Goes to church on Sunday, too,
'Long with all she's got to do.
It's her that's going to pull me through,
Thanks the Lord for Susan!

In her hair is streaks of gray,
And the crow's feet's come to stay,
But I like her best that way.
Thanks the Lord for Susan!

Made of consecrated clay,
She gets better every day.
Thanks the Lord for Susan!
—W. J. Lampton in New York Sun.

Are We Too Proud

Decidedly, things are looking well for a real Anglo-American understanding about a commercial policy in the Far East. "Our Mr. Beresford" put the case in a nutshell when he told the American Asiatic association that "trade, not territory," is what is wanted by the four powers he would like to see guaranteeing the integrity of China and the policy of the open door—that is to say, England, the States, Germany and Japan. He followed Mr. Whitelaw Reid, who met the obvious objection that America is a protectionist power by the statement that "the English way" is the American way—at least, in the Philippines. And if in the Philippines, why not in China? "The Dingley tariff," said Mr. Reid, "is not to be transferred to the Antipodes." Why, indeed, should our American cousins be too proud to take a lesson in imperial policy from the empire out of which they themselves were made?—Pall Mall Gazette.

Notable Events on Friday

Washington was married on Friday.
Queen Victoria was married on Friday.
Napoleon Bonaparte was born on Friday.
Battle of New Orleans fought on Friday.
Battle of Bunker Hill was fought on Friday.
America was discovered on Friday.
Mayflower landed on Friday.
Joan of Arc was burned at the stake on Friday.
Battle of Waterloo was fought on Friday.
Bastile destroyed on Friday.
Declaration of Independence signed on Friday.
Julius Ceasar assassinated on Friday.
Moscow burned on Friday.
Shakespeare born on Friday.
King Charles beheaded on Friday.
Lincoln assassinated on Friday

Chino-British Troops.

The new Chinese regiment of the British army at Wei-Hai-Wei is to be an infantry one, armed with the Martini-Metford rifle, a weapon which has been highly spoken of as the result of experience in various parts of Africa. The men will be paid $8 a month and when the other advantages of the service are taken into account there should be little difficulty in obtaining a select body of men. Major Bower's first difficulty will, apparently, be that of securing accommodation for the new troops at Wai-Hai-Wei, for at present, so far as can be learned, there is nothing ready in that respect. The uniform has not yet been settled, but in all probability it will be a picturesque but serviceable adaptation of the dress of the Chinese soldier. As to the fighting qualities of the men, it is, of course, too early to speak with certainty, but knowing the class from which they will probably come, Major Bower is sanguine that in due time he will command a really effective force.—North China Herald.

Wanted Advice.

Under the bill passed by the last British Parliament giving local government to Ireland, the ballot was given to women in certain directions, and the intelligent eagerness with which they used it is illustrated by the following scene, which the Dublin Independent vouches for, as absolutely genuine: "Elderly lady to policeman standing at a corner)—'Constable, I want to know have I really a vote?' 'A vote, ma'am? If that's your own paper, you have.' 'Have ladies really votes at last, then?' 'Yis, ma'am, they have so.' 'For Parliament, Constable?' 'Ah, no, ma'am, only for the Port and Docks Board' (sympathetically). 'Dear, dear! But, Constable, do tell me who ought I to vote for?' 'I can't tell ye that, ma'am; ye must figure it out for yourself.' 'But I don't know anything about it, Constable. 'Can't help that, ma'am—sure, it would be as much as me uniform is

Not one in twenty are free from some little ailment caused by inaction of the liver. Use Carter's Little Liver Pills. The result will be pleasant surprise. They give positive relief

BLOODY FIGHT ON A HAWAIIAN PLANTATION.

Chinese Laborers Are Butchered by Japanese.

Racial Hatred Intense and More Trouble Is Expected.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—The steamer Mariposa arrived today from Australia via Samoa and the Hawaiian Islands. The Associated Press representative at Honolulu sends an account of the racial battle between the Japanese and the Chinese laborers on the Kahuku plantation, which took place on March 26.

For some time past trouble has been brewing between the Japanese and the Chinese, and the Japanese, armed heavily and well organized, made an onslaught on the Chinese quarters on the plantation, first having placed their own women and children in places of safety. The Japanese descended on the Chinese in a body, taking them entirely unaware. The Japanese wielded stoked clubs, knives and axes, and before the Chinese could make resistance to the attack three of their men were killed and a dozen more seriously wounded, some fatally, and about forty slightly injured.

The noise of the battle reached headquarters, and the manager of the plantation, Mr. Wright, gathered a force of Lunas and went to the scene of the trouble. After considerable difficulty the belligerents were repressed.

A squad of police was sent to the plantation from Honolulu, and martial law has been declared on the plantation. Police from other sections were soon on the spot and before nightfall fifty-five peace officers were on guard.

The Chinese fled from the plantation and great difficulty was experienced in locating them. Twenty-three of the Japanese ringleaders were arrested, and seventeen Chinese are also in jail.

The Chinese on the island are greatly excited and the merchants in Honolulu look for further trouble, though the better class are making every effort to keep the opposing factions within legal bounds.

The Japanese and the Chinese had some trouble on Saturday, the day previous to the battle, and the Japanese asserted that they visited the Chinese quarter for the purpose of identifying the Chinese who engaged in the trouble on Saturday, for the purpose of having them arrested. On entering the Chinese quarters they say the Chinese attacked them and in the trouble which followed they secured the arms of the Chinese and used them with the effect above mentioned.

SOCIAL SCIENTISTS MEET.

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PHILADELPHIA, April 7.—The thirteenth annual meeting of the American Academy of Political and Social Science began this afternoon. Many visiting men from all over the country are in attendance and the sessions promise to be more than usually interesting. The general topic for discussion is "The Foreign Policy of the United States, Commercial and Political." This is divided into two heads, one for each day, today's subject being "The Government of the Dependencies."

Professor Simon N. McClure Lindsay of the University of Pennsylvania occupied the chair. There were formal addresses by Professor A. Lawrence Lowell, Harvard University; W. Alton Ireland of London and Professor E. W. Huffcut of Cornell University. The discussion that followed was participated in by Talcott Williams of this city, Professor J. O. Adams and Professor L. S. Rowe of the University of Pennsylvania.

GEN. HASTINGS DECLINES.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—General Russell Hastings has declined the President's appointment as Director of the Bureau of American Republics. The Executive Committee of the Bureau met at the State Department this morning, and after discussing the declination reinstated Frederick Emory as Director.

ANSWER ADMITTED IN FORECLOSURE SUIT.

An amended answer was allowed to be filed in the suit of John C. Turner against Thomas A. Pettus, by Judge Greene this morning after a long argument by the attorneys for the defense.

The suit is brought to foreclose two mortgages, one for $4,000 and the other for $500.

In the answer filed it is sought to show that the subsequent purchasers of certain stock in the Homestead Building & Loan Association of Berkeley knew that there was a mortgage on the stock and that therefore it could not be separated from the other property in the suit.

Germany's Commissioners.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

BERLIN, April 7.—Emperor William received the United States Embassador, Andrew D. White, at audience yesterday. It is rumored that Dr. Schmidt-Leda, German Minister at Caracas, Venezuela, and Dr. Steubel, the German Consul General at Shanghai, have been appointed Samoan commissioners for Germany. Both Dr. Schmidt-Leda and Dr. Steubel were formerly in Samoa.

The Palatia Arrives.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

HAMBURG, April 7.—Arrived, Palatia, from New York.

MEMBERS' NIGHT AT ACME CLUB.

Amateur Boxing Contest Won by George Simpson.

A very successful members' night was given at the Acme Club last evening. The main attraction was a six-round amateur boxing bout between George Simpson of the Acme Club and William Toy of the San Francisco Athletic Club, which the local lad won on points. This event prefaced by four clever and exceedingly interesting three-round friendly bouts between the following members of the Acme Club: Ed Warren and E. J. Smith, Otis Coffin and Jim Harris, Al Leffler and Pete Duval, Jack Capelas and Tony Sparrow, all amateurs.

The gymnasium was comfortably filled when Master of Ceremonies W. H. L. Hynes in a neat little talk informed those present that it was the intention of the directors to put on at least one six-round amateur go each month which would be for members only. He explained the difficulty in securing satisfactory results from professional boxing matches, and stated that in future anyone desiring to witness the contests given by the Acme Club would have to pay his $2 a month dues the same as all other members. His remarks were greeted with liberal applause, which showed conclusively that the directors have taken a long step in the right direction in fostering amateur sport.

In the preliminary bouts four men entered the ring, and in so much one pair had concluded a round the other began. This continuous performance, as it were, caught the fancy of those present, and as most of the contests were lively the applause was liberally distributed. The best go was undoubtedly that between Ed J Smith and Ed Warren. They tapped and slapped playing tag about the ring, and occasionally mixing things to such an extent that the audience was kept in an uproar.

Those who had anticipated a liberal flow of gore in the event of the evening were doomed to disappointment, as but little flowed. The bout was at times a little slow, but all in all the exhibition was very satisfactory.

Simpson had the advantage of a longer reach, and though Toy landed several stiff jolts, the judges decided in favor of the Acme boy, who had the greater number of points to his credit.

Gus Bunnell, of the Bohemian Athletic Club, Pleasanton, acted as referee.

At the conclusion of the bout those present repaired to the reception room, where an impromptu musical program was given. There were coon songs by Lee Andrews and Frank Freeman, comic songs by Bert Ireland, rag time by George Freeman, and several excellent selections by a guitar and mandolin trio composed of Messrs. Whitton, Morey and O'Brien.

BATTLESHIP CALIFORNIA.

One of the New Vessels Named After This State.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, April 7.—The President has authorized the battleships and armored cruisers which the law required to be named after States to be named the Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Georgia, West Virginia, Nebraska and California.

The six cruisers which are to be named after cities are to be named: Denver, Des Moines, Chattanooga, Galveston, Tacoma and Cleveland.

LOST IN ENGLISH CHANNEL

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LONDON, April 7.—A heavy storm which is sweeping across the channel is delaying the steamboat service between Great Britain and the continent. A number of fishing smacks have been lost.

A fierce gale is also sweeping the Irish coast, causing considerable destruction to property.

The British ship John Cooke, Captain Magee, which arrived at Limerick on March 6 from Portland, Ore., has been badly damaged by breaking from her moorings during a fierce hurricane at midnight last night and colliding with and sinking a smack.

ALGER'S WELCOME.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

PONCE, P. R., April 7.—General Alger, Secretary of War, who arrived Wednesday on board the Ingalls, has met with an enthusiastic reception. The town is decorated in his honor, and last night it was illuminated. The General is delighted with Porto Rico. He leaves this morning to cross the island, and is due to arrive at San Juan tomorrow afternoon.

Legal Briefs.

The claim of Davis & Hill against the estate of the late F. K. Shattuck for $2,554.97 has been approved.

Charles E. Spaok has been granted permission to sell the property belonging to the estate of Frank P. Thwaites, deceased.

Carrie Smith has petitioned the Superior Court to set aside the personal property belonging to the estate of Jacob I. Smith, deceased, for her use. She also asks for a family allowance of $50 a month. The estate is valued at $3,410.07.

Another Smallpox Case.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

LOS ANGELES, April 7.—One new case of smallpox was found in the city today. There were no other suspects reported.

Johann Hoff's Malt Extract Was Introduced in 1847

Makes Flesh and Blood

Dr. L. Miller Woodson, of Gallatin, Tenn., writes: "I have used Johann Hoff's Malt Extract in my practice for twelve years and found it to be the best flesh and blood maker we have."

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Over Fifty Years the Pioneer and Standard

SCANDIA BACK FROM MANILA.

Brings Remains of Col. Smith and Other Heroes.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 7.—The transport Scandia arrived at Quarantine today from Manila, with sixty-four time-expired and discharged soldiers, and the bodies of four officers, who fell fighting in the Philippines.

The remains brought back are those of Colonel Smith of the Tennessee Regiment, who died of apoplexy as he was leading his men to repulse the attack on Manila; Captain D. S. Elliott of the Twentieth Kansas Regiment, killed February 20th at Caloocan by sharpshooters; Major McConville of the Idaho Regiment, who fell while charging at the head of his men on the trenches before Caloocan, and Lieutenant French of the First North Dakota Regiment, who was killed at the same place.

Lieutenant Swazee of the First California Regiment and Captain Murphy of the Fourteenth Infantry were also on board the transport, the former returning to be mustered out, and the latter is under orders to proceed to Washington.

SUNDAY CLOSING NOT FAVORED.

Mayor Snow Expresses Views on the Subject.

According to current talk, the Prohibitionists have inaugurated a Sunday-closing movement, counting on the support of the Mayor and Council. The vigorous crusade against the gambling houses has encouraged the Prohibitionists to believe that they can secure the enactment of an ordinance closing the saloons from 11 o'clock Saturday night until Monday morning. In fact, it is even claimed that they already have enough votes in the Council to pass such an ordinance, and that Mayor Snow will promptly sign it. That they are somewhat premature in this assertion is shown by the following statement made by the Mayor to a Tribune reporter:

MAYOR SNOW'S STATEMENT.

"This is an error. It is the purpose of this administration, so far as I know it, to get the people together, not to divide them.

"I will join the Council in opposition to the introduction of legislation at this time which would tend to separate rather than unite the people of this city.

"There is a time for all things. This is a time for the people of Oakland to get together."

MURDER OF A MERCHANT.

Found Dead in His Store With His Pockets Rifled.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

NEW YORK, April 7.—George B. Fern, a dealer in dry goods, at 1393 West Madison street, was found dead on the floor of his store today with a bullet wound in his right temple. The cash drawers were rifled and Mr. Fern's pockets turned inside out.

A Strike Settled.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

ST. LOUIS, April 7.—A special to the Post-Dispatch from Carville, Ills., says the strike of hoisting engineers in the mining district is over, the miners having resumed operation.

The Consolidated and Madison companies and the engineers compromised on wages of $65 per month and eight hours a day.

Licensed to Marry.

Hover Fassler, San Francisco	45
Lena Kelly, San Francisco	32
Antone A. Silva, Oakland	35
Minnie P. Carvalho, Oakland	22
Antonio S. Martin, Centerville	37
Mary Pires, Centerville	26
Charles Frank Nold, Alameda	30
Henrietta Dorothy Wiesbald, Alameda	26
George Aron Swansen, Oakland	26
Eloise Hall, Oakland	18

MORE TROUBLE FOR CONWAYS.

Bank Seizes Property to Satisfy a Mortgage.

Another feature has been added to the troubles existing between Thomas and Johanna Conway. They have been quarreling between themselves about the settlement of a piece of property owned by them, situated on Birch street and Columbus avenue. The Farmers' and Merchants' Savings Bank has now taken a hand in the matter by foreclosing a mortgage of $400 on the property, executed by Thomas Conway.

The trouble between Conway and his wife began several months ago, when Mrs. Conway sought to have a homestead declared on the property. Conway opposed the action and a lively legal struggle in court ensued. There was a difference of opinion as to just what part of the property should be declared a homestead.

The attorneys for Mrs. Conway brought out an ingenious argument to secure a corner lot as a part of the homestead. They showed that a goat belonging to Mrs. Conway had been grazing on the lot in question, eating all the grass, tin cans and rubbish upon it. It was, therefore, contended that the lot should properly be included in the homestead.

In the final settlement this was done. The property was divided into strips, the alternate strips being declared a homestead for the wife.

Peaceful relations were restored for a time between Conway and his wife, but they were of short duration. Soon a breach came between them, with the result that Mrs. Conway brought a suit for divorce.

Pending the trial of the suit Conway was ordered to pay his wife alimony and counsel fees. To raise the money, part of the property was sold to James Corruthers.

The bank now steps in with a decree of foreclosure rendered by Judge Ogden, and will sell the property to satisfy its claim. Attorney Sam Bell McKee represented the bank.

DEATH OF GEN. MONTENEGRO.

Filipinos Lose a Leader Second Only to Aguinaldo.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, April 7.—The Journal's correspondent at Manila cables today that pacificos who have returned within the American lines report the death of General Montenegro, who was regarded as next to Aguinaldo, the most influential and aggressive of the Filipino leaders.

The report is credited at Manila, where it is believed the General fell while defending Malolos.

OFFICIAL RECORDS

THURSDAY, APRIL 6, 1899.

DEEDS.

March 20, 1899—Pauline E More to Ellen H Chabot, W Franklin st, 60.8 N Fourteenth st, N 51.4 x W 150, Oakland, quit claim deed; $5110.

March 5, 1899—Sena Larkin to Geo H and Mary E Burnham, E Myrtle st, 310.9 N Twelfth st, N 40 x 125, block B, lands Oakland Central Homestead Association, Oakland; $10.

April 5, 1899—Robert and Gertrude Ellis to Harriet M McCaw, SE Thirteenth and Alice sts, E 115 x S 50, block 170, Oakland, subject to a mortgage for $4,000; $10.

April 5, 1899—Patrick and Mary E O'Bryan to Phillip H Rosenheim, E Halleck (or Ettie) st, 100 S Thirty-second (or A) st, S 100 x E 133, being lot 6, block O, lands Peralta Homestead Association, Oakland; $10.

April 5, 1899—Jas S and Lizzie C Nalsmith to Wm Y Stillwell, lot 9, block 101, map of portion Watson property, East Oakland; $10.

April 4, 1899—Emma E Bryant to Nellie V Bryant, SE Tenth ave, 150 SW East Eleventh st, SW 25 x SE 150, block 16, Clinton, East Oakland, subject to life estate to first party; $5.

April 4, 1899—Annie Adair to John F Dingwell, N East Fourteenth st, 182.21 E Thirteenth ave, N 67.3, E 86.75, S 55, W 65 to beginning, block 61, Clinton, East Oakland; also NE East Twenty-sixth st, 120 SE Nineteenth ave, SE 75 x NE 140, block 89, map of Northern Addition to Brooklyn, Brooklyn Township; also N Lincoln st, 600 W Summit st, W 150 x N 100, being lots 57 to 62, block D, new town of Lynn, East Oakland; $10.

March 6, 1899—John Schwanz and Edwin Fish to J H Strobridge, undivided 1-18 interest S cor A and First sts, SW 100, E 61 to a point the said place of beginning, thence from place of beginning SE 139, SW 54.7, NW 120.4, NE 12, NW 16.55, NE 34.3, NW 8, NE 8 to beginning, Eden Township; also undivided 1-8 interest to a perpetual right of way over NW "H" st, 100 SW First st, SW 12 x NW 237.50, town of Haywards, Eden Township; $10.

April 9, 1899—Melissa S Carle to Harry E Belden, E Peralta st, 104.20 N West Fourteenth st, N 104.20, E 86.60, S 100, W 116.57 to beginning, being lots 23 to 26, block 581, map of Peralta and Center st lands, Oakland; $10.

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Order to Show Cause Why Order of Sale of Real Estate Should Not Be Made.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

Probate.

In the matter of the estate of William Newton Meeks, deceased.

Order to show cause why order of sale of real estate should not be made.

Constance Adela Meeks and Blanche Thayer Heath, the executrixes of the estate of William Newton Meeks, deceased, having presented and filed their petition herein, duly verified, praying for an order of sale of a portion of the real estate of said decedent, for the purposes therein set forth, and it appearing to this Court from said petition that it is necessary to sell the whole or some portion of the real estate for the purpose of paying the expenses, charges of administration and legacies already accrued and to accrue.

It is therefore ordered by the said Court that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, appear before the said Superior Court on Monday, the 15th day of May, 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Superior Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, to show cause why an order should not be granted to the said executrixes to sell so much of the real estate of the said deceased as shall be necessary.

And that a copy of this order be published at least once a week for four successive weeks in the Oakland Tribune, a newspaper printed and published in said county of Alameda.

F. B. OGDEN,
Judge of the Superior Court.

Dated, this 6th day of April, 1899.

BEATTY & BEATTY, Attorneys for Executrixes, San Francisco, Cal.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Mary F. Hawley, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Mary F. Hawley, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix, at the office of the Tribune Publishing Co., 415, 417 Eighth street, Oakland, California, that being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in said county of Alameda, State of California, or to the said administratrix, at the law offices of Webber & Rutherford, rooms 1 and 2, Winship block, in the city of Napa, county of Napa, State of California, that being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the county of Napa, State of California.

NETTIE F. PICKETT,
Administratrix of the estate of Mary F. Hawley, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, Cal., this 31st day of March, A. D. 1899.

WEBBER & RUTHERFORD, Attorneys for Administratrix, Rooms 1 and 2, Winship Block, Napa, California.

LEGAL

Central Pacific Railroad Company Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1899, the Board of Directors of the Central Pacific Railroad Company, at a regular meeting thereof, adopted a resolution wherein and whereby it was resolved and ordered that the annual meeting of the stockholders of said Company for the year 1899, for the election of directors for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, should be held at the office of the Company in the Hobart building, No. 552 Market street, in the city and county of San Francisco, State of California, at the hour of 10 A. M., on Friday, the 28th day of April, A. D. 1899.

The polls will close at 3 o'clock P. M.

W. M. THOMPSON,
Secretary Central Pacific Railroad Company.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of James M. Taylor, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of James M. Taylor, deceased, and for the issuance to Montell Taylor of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 24th day of April, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, April 5th, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By J. P. COOK, Deputy Clerk.

CHARLES H. LOVELL, Attorney for Petitioner, Mills Building, San Francisco.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Mary F. Kenney, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executor of the estate of Mary F. Kenney, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said executor, at the office of Gibson & Woolner, attorneys-at-law, No. 1003½ Broadway, Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as his place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Mary F. Kenney, deceased.

A. W. BISHOP,
Executor of the estate of Mary F. Kenney, deceased.

Dated, Oakland, March 17th, 1899.

GIBSON & WOOLNER, Attorneys for Executor, 1003½ Broadway, Oakland.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of James H. Miller, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of James H. Miller, deceased, and for the issuance to Eliza A. Miller and Theodore Olmstead of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the tenth day of April, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, March 28th, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

E. M. GIBSON and BEN F. WOOLNER, 1003½ Broadway, Attorneys for Petitioners.

Probate Notice.

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Dent, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc. and application for letters of administration with will annexed.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of George W. Dent, deceased, and for the issuance to B. C. Hawes of letters of administration with the will annexed, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 10th day of April, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in the county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same, and show cause if any they have why said petition should not be granted.

Dated, March 28th, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

SNOOK & CHURCH, Attorneys for Petitioner, 922 Broadway, Oakland, Calif.

POSTPONEMENT OF SALE.

Notice is hereby given that in the matter of sale to pay assessments delinquent, together with costs of advertising, in the matter of the opening and widening of Commerce street in the city of Oakland, as to be held by me in front of my office, City Hall, in the city of Oakland, at the hour of 10 o'clock A. M., on Thursday, the 20th day of September, 1898, that said sale was commenced at said time and place, but that pursuant to, and by reason of an order and injunction made and issued out of and by the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California, dated September 26, 1898, by which I was restrained and enjoined from selling or offering for sale any parcels of land under said assessment, and pursuant to said order and injunction, the further proceedings under said sale and notice of sale were by me at said time and place postponed until the hour of 10 o'clock A. M. of September 30, 1898, at the same place, and that such proceedings and further proceedings under said notice of sale and sale thereunder would be by me postponed from day to day until ten o'clock A. M. of the succeeding day until said injunction be released, dismissed or made permanent, and that, upon the dissolution of such injunction, I will proceed at 10 o'clock on the day following such dissolution with such sale and continue the same until the completion thereof.

Dated September 29, 1898.

M. K. MILLER,
Superintendent of Streets of the city of Oakland.

IF YOU WISH

To enjoy the day properly you must order your Sunday dinner from

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New City Market,

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LEGAL.

NOTICE.

State and County Taxes For the Year 1898.

STATE AND COUNTY TAXES FOR the year 1898.

To all taxpayers in the county of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, Tax Collector of the county of Alameda, State of California, is in receipt of the assessment book of said county of Alameda, and that in accordance with the provisions of Section 3716 of the Political Code of the State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the assessment book for State and county taxes for the year 1898, on all property within the county of Alameda, has been received by me, and that the taxes as shown by said assessment book are now due and payable at my office in the Court House of said county of Alameda, in the city of Oakland, county of Alameda, State of California, every day (except legal holidays) during office hours, after the second Monday in October, 1898, and as follows:

The taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on all real property in the said county of Alameda, will be due and payable on the

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER IN THE YEAR 1898.

At my office in the Court House of said Alameda county, situated in the city of Oakland, in said county, every day (not a legal holiday) during office hours as fixed by law, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN NOVEMBER, 1898.

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the last Monday in April, 1899, five per cent will be added thereto.

And notice is further given that the remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property in said Alameda county for the year 1898 will be payable to the undersigned, Tax Collector of said Alameda county, as aforesaid, at the office of the Tax Collector, as aforesaid, on and after the first Monday in January, 1899, and will be delinquent on the

LAST MONDAY IN APRIL, 1899.

At 6 o'clock P. M. of said day, and that unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

Notice is hereby further given that all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

And notice is hereby further given that in accordance with said Section 3746 of the Political Code of the State of California, and after the second Monday in October, 1898, all the taxes, whether first or second installment, before delinquency thereof, or, if delinquent, together with the percentage added thereto as is above set forth, may be paid to me at my office, as aforesaid, at any time during business hours as aforesaid, and after said

SECOND MONDAY IN OCTOBER, 1898.

And upon such full payment being made, full receipts for the taxes, both first and second installments, will be given in accordance with law.

Dated at Oakland, California, this 11th day of October, 1898.

JAMES B. BARBER,
Tax Collector of the County of Alameda, State of California.

ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers!

ALSO POLL TAX NOTICE.

Oakland, March 18th, 1899.

All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before April 3rd, 1899, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him, her or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock meridian on the

FIRST MONDAY OF MARCH, 1899,

In accordance with Sec. 3629, Political Code.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3629, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name, or errors have appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before April 3rd, 1899, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1899.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, room one, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

POLL TAX MUST BE PAID ON DEMAND.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll Tax of two dollars for the year 1899 is now due and payable at my office, room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor.

Sec. 3820 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll Tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the

FIRST MONDAY IN MARCH AND THE FIRST MONDAY IN JULY,

Then it shall be three dollars.

Sec. 3846 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll Tax of every person liable therefor, and on the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he must collect by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his own name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the State Poll Tax, is guilty of a misdemeanor, and liable to a fine of $500 or imprisonment in the County Jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one, or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON,
Assessor of Alameda County.
Oakland, California.

Probate Notice

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Jane E. Davis, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will, etc.

Notice is hereby given, that a petition for the probate of the will of Jane E. Davis, deceased, and for the issuance to Margaret J. Macdonald and Sarah E. Jensen of letters testamentary thereon, has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the tenth day of April, A. D. 1899, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court-room of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated, March 29th, 1899.

FRANK C. JORDAN, Clerk.
By D. A. SINCLAIR, Deputy Clerk.

FITZGERALD & ABBOTT, Attorneys for Petitioner.

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BLAZE AT THE UNIVERSITY.

The Mining Building Scorched on the Cornice.

Last evening, about 6:30 o'clock, one of the lady students of the University of California discovered smoke issuing from a cornice on the Mining Building at the University, and gave the alarm.

At that time, Assistant Librarian Craig, who was a member of last year's football team, was going along one of the walks toward the Library.

Hearing the alarm and seeing the smoke, Craig ran to the Library, seized a fire extinguisher and carried it across the intervening ground to the Mining Building. He gave the chemical to a man who stood there, and then ran up stairs into the burning building and secured another fire extinguisher, and then both of the extinguishers were brought to play upon the blaze, which was just appearing through an opening in the woodwork which had been burned through.

Several of the students secured ladders and got axes and chopped holes in the burning woodwork, which enabled the chemicals to reach the wood which was being charred by the flames.

Professor Christy says the fire was occasioned by heated bricks in the chimney which set the woodwork into a blaze.

The Columbia Hose Company of Berkeley was on hand and used to advantage a stream of water from one of the new hydrants on the grounds.

The damage sustained will be about $30.

An Indiana Blaze.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., April 7.—Fire today destroyed the drug store of B. Keesling, the City National Bank, P. W. Moore building, G. W. Barrow building and the structure occupied by De Wenter & Co. Loss, $65,000; insurance, half.

HORRORS OF THE MANILA BATTLES

Perry Hayne Describes the Awful Carnage of the War.

The following is a letter from Second Lieutenant A. P. Hayne of the California Heavy Artillery, U. S. V., now located at Manila. It is a graphic description of the horrors of war and, at the same time, gives an insight into a number of the inner features of life in the field. The missive was received by Harry Melvin of this city and is as follows:

"Manila, March 1, 1899—Dear Harry: I suppose you all read with interest the newspaper accounts of the outbreak. I tell you, Harry, I have aged a year or so since the fight began. I have seen a real war with all the horrors. Perhaps you think this is loose use of words. Let me assure you it is not. I have seen probably two hundred acres of houses burned. I have seen trenches full of dead, hospitals black with torn and bleeding wrecks of humanity, while with the Engineer Corps chaining ground for trenches, I have put the match myself to houses while old women knelt at my feet sobbing and begging me to spare their shack of palm leaves. I have ordered the destruction of acres of vegetables and fruit trees which meant months of labor and the only means of living to the poor fellow who was on his knees to me. I have stumbled over corpses rotting in the tropical sun. Have had a man's lifeblood cover my clothes, and if you think these are not horrors, you are away off. Some of the sights made me vomit.

"I have been lucky from the first. I have been in every 'scrap' but one and have not received a scratch. As soon as the firing began on February 14th, I reported to General Anderson, who took me as an aide and gave me my fill or riding on the fire lines. I have also been aide to Major-General MacArthur, Brigadier-General H. G. Otis, Major Goodale and I was with Colonel Funston when he charged on Caloocan. Scarcely a day has passed that I have not been under fire. I am with General Anderson nearly all the time. When there is nothing for me to do, I take trips wherever I please. I am now known as 'Galloping Hayne.'

"I have had one ride that I shall never forget. It was a ride of six miles through the lines of the enemy on a dark night. Hearing the sound of my horse's hoofs the enemy began shooting. Perhaps you think I was not scared. I never heard anything that sounded so sweet as the 'halt' of the sentry as I reached the outpost of our lines.

"The insurgents are virtually besieging us. We were ordered to fall back when we had them on the run, and they thought that they had whipped us. We are not allowed to go beyond the trenches, and the enemy is getting very bold. General E. P. Otis has assured the country that he could pacify the natives by kindness. Our loss is now 400 killed and wounded. So much for trusting a Tagalo. The only way to deal with them is to kill all who fight and be kind to the rest.

"The General would not believe that they wanted to fight until they attacked us. The rest of us did, and we were ready for them. You cannot imagine what a panorama it was on the 9th. Imagine a line of battle over two miles long, forming under your eyes, charging over a plain a mile and a half in width on a strong army intrenched on hills on the other side. Their Mauser fire was terrible. Mausers carry three miles and not a flinch. Add to this thousands of burning houses, churches and the fleet and land artillery going it tooth and nail, and you have an idea of the grand sight I saw. Anderson sent me all over the lines where the fire was hottest, and I got a daisy old baptism. One of the University of California boys was one of the five to follow their Lieutenant into a blockhouse occupied by 100 natives and take it. Five against 100 is good odds. The Lieutenant was killed. Howard Avery, '98, Chi Phi, and his four companions will get gold medals. I saw Lieutenant Kilbourne climb a telegraph pole on the end of a bridge, mend the wires under a fire of eighty Mausers from Paco Church and a cross-fire of our shells. His lineman was killed at the foot of the pole. He stayed up there ten minutes. Poor young Putzker was shot by a comrade just after having stormed Caloocan. The fool man was fooling with his Krag and accidentally shot and killed two men and wounded a third.

"Our hospitals are better off than those in the United States. All talk about starvation is rot. The men are better fed than they would be in private life. The Idahos have a peach of a commissary. At 9 P. M., the night of the fight, each man had hot coffee. At 12 midnight each officer had a quart of ice cold Schlitz, and the next day a canteen was running on the firing line. A. P. HAYNE."

UNRULY DRUNK KICKS OFFICER BERT CURTIS.

Officer Bert Curtiss experienced considerable difficulty in arresting James Halloran, an ex-saloon keeper, who was drunk yesterday. Halloran had crawled into the basement of a house at Fifth and Henry streets, and, according to the story of the occupants of the dwelling, had used very insulting language when they protested against his invasion.

The officer succeeded in handcuffing the prisoner without much trouble and got him into the patrol wagon. However, just as Curtiss was about to get into the wagon himself the prisoner gave him a severe kick in the groin, knocking the officer out upon his back in the street.

The blow was such a severe one that Officer Curtis was unable to cry out for a moment and Driver Aldrich of the wagon, not knowing that anything unusual had happened, started to drive for the city prison. The wagon had gone about half a block before the driver learned that the officer was not aboard.

His attention was attracted to the inside of the wagon by the noise made by the prisoner, who was endeavoring to get out. The wagon was stopped and Curtiss, having recovered his breath, came running up just as Halloran was about to drop out of the wagon. The man had secured a firm grip on the railing in the rear of the wagon and it was necessary to use his club on his hands to make him release his hold. Halloran fought all the way up to jail, and also when he was taken out of the wagon, but was finally subdued. Officer Curtiss will feel the effects of Halloran's kick for a long time. This is not the first time this man has had trouble with the police.

THE "TRIO" MUSICALE SATURDAY MORNING.

The first musicale of the Oakland Trio Club, of a public character, will be given tomorrow morning in the parish house of the First Unitarian Church, beginning at 11 o'clock A. M. The program will be under the direction of Mrs. E. H. Benjamin, and the proceeds will be applied to the benefit of the Women's Alliance.

Trio.. .....Niels W. Gade op. 29
Allegro Scherzando. Larghetto Con Moto Moderato.
Mrs. Winnifred Wedgwood, Miss L. F. Heine, Mr. von der Mehden.
(a) Chanson Arabe.. .. ..Godard
(b) Te Souviens-tu?.. .. .. ..Godard
Miss Beresford Joy.
Trio.. .. ..Schumann
Lexhaft. Mit Feuer.
Miss Helen Hagar, Miss L. F. Heine, Mr. von der Mehden.
Trio.. .. ..Scharwenka
Finale Allegro.
(a) When Love Is Done.. .. ....Lynes
(b) How Do I Love Thee?....White
Miss Beresford Joy.
Trio.. ....Godard
Allegro Moderato. Scherzo.
Miss Charlotte Collins, Miss L. F. Heine, Mr. von der Mehden.
Mrs. Margaret Cameron-Smith....
.. ..Accompanist.

Mortuary.

Lillie Crose, a native of New York, aged 45 years, died yesterday at 1701½ Eighth street. The remains will be shipped to Grass Valley for interment.

HARRIS ON HIS UPPERS.

Quondam Preacher Is Again In Dire Distress.

"Rev." James Henry Harris is again in distress, this time in New York, and a dispatch says that actors there are about to give him a benefit. When he got into his present predicament is not known, but the chances are that it is not a recent happening, if the record of the man in this section is a criterion. Harris has had as many occupations as Joseph's coat is reported to have had colors, and in all of them he has come to grief. With a personality the irresistibility of which was best known to himself, Harris projected himself upon this community about a dozen years ago as a corn doctor with a promising future. But he did not like to stoop to conquer. He abandoned the profession and went selling watches to clubs, the members of which paid a dollar a week and were promised watches in one, two, three or four or more weeks. Nearly all of the members are still waiting for their time pieces. Then the versatile James ordained himself a minister, erected a church and parsonage on San Pablo avenue in Golden Gate and preached to empty benches. The church closed and was finally pulled down, after which, beneath the monster umbrageous branches of the antique oak at the corner of Myrtle and Eighth streets, James pitched a small sized circus tent and invited all those who hungered after the meats of the kitchen and thirsted for the soup not of the lunch route, to come to him and be fed and nourished. That was the heyday of James' popularity. He was known and admired and idolized by the deserving and undeserving poor alike, because of his phenomenal liberality and goodness. A man who would thus give of his substance for the purpose of succoring poor humanity was a philanthropist. In the meantime, however, James was standing over a volcano, and one day the eruption took place. The bakers, the butchers and the milkmen who had been furnishing him with the substantials which he dispensed so lavishly "quit." It became with them a question, "No pay, no more goods." There was no pay and consequently the supply of goods was shut off. Then it became apparent that Harris' liberality was based upon his cheek and his ability to work dealers of all kinds by his unctuous manner and his honeyed words. About that time James' tent was razed to the ground by a wind storm, and when he left his creditors put their heads together and found that he had gotten into their pockets to the extent of $3,800.

Then Harris went to San Francisco, became a super at Morosco's, worked somebody for $1,400 with which he was to go to New York to get a company of actors and star with them through the country. He never came back.

ELECTRIC LIGHT POLE TOPPLES OVER.

The people in the vicinity of Seventeenth and Brush streets were treated to a pyrotechnic display last evening that might have been attended with serious results but for the promptness of the electric light company's employes in removing the cause.

Shortly after 9 o'clock an electric light pole at the corner toppled over into the middle of the street. The wires became crossed and various hued lights and a great spluttering resulted. Special Police Officer Lufkin was attracted by the display and stationed himself near the pole to see that no one got mixed up in the wires.

The police notified the electric light company and within a short time the wreckage was cleared away before any serious damage had been done.

NOTES FROM THE POLICE COURT.

James Halloran, the drunk who kicked Officer Curtiss in the groin yesterday, was given ten days in the City Prison this morning.

Thomas Hunt, charged with battery upon the person of Victoriene Mathieu, was found not guilty and the case dismissed.

Ah Ying, charged with selling lottery tickets, forfeited $35 bail.

The case of Ah Oge on the same charge was set for jury trial April 21.

Patrick Duffey was found guilty of disturbing the peace of John Brennan. Sentence will be pronounced tomorrow.

Edward Baker was found guilty of peddling without a license. He will be sentenced tomorrow.

ELECTRIC LIGHTS IN A FINE RESIDENCE.

F. M. Smith of East Oakland has installed a very complete system of electric lighting in his new residence. Nearly 300 incandescent lights of various sizes are used. In two of the chandeliers there are groups of as many as sixty-five small lamps with frosted globes. The hot houses and the large glass tower are also illuminated, and with many colored globes some very pretty effects are produced.

Vehicle Demolished.

A team of horses attached to a buggy belonging to W. J. Dingee was frightened by a train at Seventh and Washington streets yesterday afternoon and ran at a lively rate up Washington to Ninth street, where the wheels of the wagon interlocked with those of Edwards' delivery wagon. The Dingee vehicle was demolished. The horses broke away and ran up Washington to Fourteenth street where they were caught, uninjured.

Goes to Carson City.

Rev. Barton W. Perry of the First Presbyterian Church of San Leandro who was chaplain in the House of the Legislature, has accepted the pastorate of the First Presbyterian Church at Carson City, Nevada.

Substitution

the fraud of the day.

See you get Carter's,

Ask for Carter's,

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Carter's Little Liver Pills.

THE COMING OF CHRISTIANS.

Preparation for the Convention of '99.

The '99 Christian Endeavor Committee is rushing work. Last night, Mr. Benham and his assistants lead a rehearsal for the concert in the lecture room of the Methodist Church, while, a block away, on the third floor of the Y. M. C. A. Building, the '99 Committee was burning the midnight oil, perfecting plans for the care of the big convention.

Mr. Kelogg has the work on the Exposition Building well in hand and is confident the walls will be completely deadened.

Mr. Webster has seen most of the hotel men and finds them willing to give the lowest terms possible and anxious to do all in their power to make Oakland's '99 Convention a success. As free entertainment will be furnished delegates whose round-trip expense exceeds $10, hospitable Oaklanders are invited to throw open their homes to about 250 guests.

Mr. Gaylord, Mr. Lyon, Mr. Wastell, and Mr. Friend will send out four workers on their respective committees this week. These committees will wear white caps, distinguished from each other by colored bands. While some thought Mr. Friend and his aides should be capped in yellow or red and Mr. Gaylord and his ushers in blue or some other color and leave to Mr. Lyon and his helpers to the white caps, it was finally decided that all white caps with different colored bands would be more harmonious and effective and it was so ordered.

Mr. Hathway has several communications on pulpit-supply and it is apparent that this important department is in excellent hands.

In Mr. Benham's absence, Mr. Suhr reported that applications to join the chorus exceeded the accommodations. He hoped more space could be given to them and more books could be issued as the supply is exhausted. The matter was referred to Messrs. Kellogg and Lyon.

The visitation of the local societies in the interest of the Convention by the '99 Committee begins next Sunday, with the following assignments: Mr. Friend to the Presbyterian, Christian, and Presbyterian Chinese of Alameda; Mr. Webster, Santa Clara avenue M. E. Church Alameda; Mr. Wastell, Centennial Presbyterian, and Twenty-third avenue Baptist; Mr. Suhr, United Presbyterian and English Lutheran; Mr. Kellogg, Oak Chapel and Plymouth; Mr. Gaylord, Golden Gate Presbyterian and Golden Gate Baptist; Miss Fraser and Miss Beekman to the Congregational and United Presbyterian, Alameda.

"HOE-WOMAN" GETS DIVORCE.

Mrs. Christina Kirchofer was granted a divorce from Gustave Kirchofer this morning by Judge Ellsworth. She was also awarded $25 a month alimony and the custody of her minor child.

Although alleging only desertion and wilful neglect in her complaint, Mrs. Kirchofer told a story on the witness stand of cruel treatment. She stated that before she had been a month married her husband made her saw wood and work in the field with a hoe, while in the house there was hardly food enough to keep them alive. When she protested against the treatment he ordered her to get to work. She finally broke down under the work and was taken in charge of by some neighbors.

The husband left his wife while she was on a sick bed, saying he was going to San Francisco to get some money to relieve her sufferings. He did not return. Carlton W. Greene represented the plaintiff.

LEAVITT MAY BE APPOINTED TRUSTEE.

Current report has it that Governor Gage will appoint Senator Frank W. Leavitt a trustee of the San Jose Normal school. A new board will be appointed soon and it has been agreed that Alameda county shall have one member. It is rumored that several influential persons in Santa Clara county are favoring Senator Leavitt for the position and have presented his name to Governor Gage.

JUDGE HALL TAKES A VACATION TRIP.

Superior Judge S. P. Hall left last evening for Boulder Creek in Santa Cruz county, where he will spend a few days fishing. He has a ranch near Boulder Creek to which he makes a yearly visit. He will return to his duties in the court on Monday.

Will Have New Quarters.

The Builder's Exchange will move into the rooms over Pierce's hardware store about May 1st. Their quarters in this building will be more spacious than in the old building on Tenth street. The Exchange has occupied their present offices for the last twelve years.

Want a Sewing Machine.

The Christian Home for Unemployed Girls, 366 Ninth street, desires a sewing machine for their use. Any friend who can donate or loan a machine will bestow a special favor, which will be highly appreciated by the girls.

Hobart's Condition.

Associated Press Dispatches by The Tribune's Special Leased Wire

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ENGINE SMASHES POWDER CARS.

Peculiar Accident in the West Oakland Yards.

Last evening a runaway switch engine in the West Oakland yards crushed into two box cars which were loaded with giant powder. Although the cars were reduced to kindling wood and the engine derailed, there was no explosion.

The engine had been left standing with steam up near the roundhouse by Engineer Brown, and without any apparent cause it suddenly commenced moving along the track. Brown, who was standing a short distance from the locomotive, made a dash for the cab, but he did not reach it in time to close the throttle, and the engine went on down the track. About 100 yards from the roundhouse the two box cars were standing upon the track, and into them the engine crashed. The workmen who were employed near the box cars saw the engine coming and they ran for their lives. The cars were both badly demolished, and the powder scattered over a radius of fifty feet or more. That there was no explosion is considered a miracle by the railroad employes. The affair created a panic in the yards, and it was sometime after the crash before any of the workmen could be induced to approach the wreck.

Died Away From Home.

Edward Vigor Fox, well known in Oakland, having been several years with the People's Express, died of typhoid fever in the Mission and Friends Hospital in Butte, Montana, on the 6th of April.

SPECIAL AUCTION SALE.

Of fine furniture, carpets, etc., by order of J. Christensen, J. P. Neal and Mrs. W. Herrick. Sale Saturday, April 8th, at 7 P. M. Moved to 1431 Park street, Alameda, for convenience of sale. Open for inspection Friday 6 to 8 P. M. and Saturday all day. J. A. MUNRO & CO., Auctioneers. Office 1517-1519 Park street, Alameda. Auction sales of furniture at private homes a specialty.

Died.

FOX—In Butte, Montana, April 6th, Edward Vigor Fox, a native of England, aged 31 years and 4 months, son of William B. and Laura Fox of East Oakland.

CRASE—In this city, April 6, 1899, Mrs. Lillie C. Crase, aged 45 years, 9 months and 12 days.

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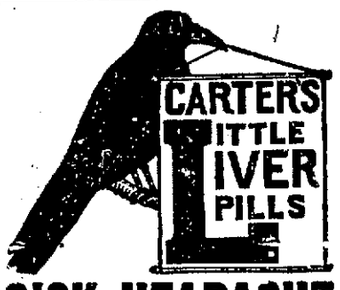

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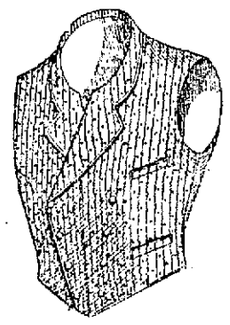

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